

Garnerites, 3d-Termers Ratify Texas Compromise

Iowa, N. Carolina May Join Parade To Back Roosevelt 'If He Wants It'

Dewey Pledges Beaten

DELEGATES pledged to District Attorney Dewey, although repudiated by him, are badly defeated in Massachusetts primary election. Page 3.

Threat Removed

By Robert C. Albright
Post Staff Writer

The last important threat of third-term opposition if the President is a candidate at the Democratic convention apparently was removed yesterday by a complete Garner-Roosevelt accord in the Vice President's Texas stronghold.

Democrats in at least two other wavering States, Iowa and North Carolina were lining up with the "Roosevelt if he wants it" parade.

The Garner-Roosevelt understanding in Texas, approved by leaders of both factions, gave the Vice President the pledged Lone Star delegation he has sought, but disowned any "stop Roosevelt" motive.

An "If" Candidate

National application by the Garner movement of the Texas agreement would make Garner in effect a challenger for the nomination only "if" the President does not run, since "defeat Roosevelt" is ruled out in principle, third-term leaders said.

Garner movement spokesmen said only that Texas hostilities between third-term and Garner forces were apparently at an end and that Garner will have control of the Texas delegation of 46 in support of his own nomination. Garner leaders always have assumed that the President will not run.

Friends of Postmaster General James A. Farley, the only other unconditional Democratic candidate in the Presidential race, said "stop Roosevelt" never has figured in the Farley campaign. Farley likewise is campaigning on assumption that Mr. Roosevelt is not a candidate.

Alternative Studied

How the President would transfer his pledged delegate support to a candidate of his own choosing, should he not run, remained an open question. In any event, the Texas agreement would leave the Texas delegation bound to Garner until its release.

Conclusion of the accord, which also gave Roosevelt assurance of State convention endorsement of the New Deal with no Roosevelt opposition, came yesterday in ratifying telegrams from Texas.

Addressed to House Majority Leader Sam Rayburn and Representative Lyndon B. Johnson, of Texas, who negotiated the agreement, wires were signed by Undersecretary of Interior Alvin J. Wirtz, Texas third term leader, and Myron G. Blalock. See POLITICS, Page 4, Column 2.

Gen. Miles Made Intelligence Chief

A veteran of the Army's foreign intelligence staff, fresh from the war zone, yesterday became chief of military intelligence here.

Brig. Gen. Sherman Miles, a native of the District, who has been military attaché at London since the outbreak of war, took over the post recently vacated by Col. E. R. Warner McCabe, who is retiring for age.

Should Newspapers Be Allowed to Criticize Judges?

A cartoon in a St. Louis newspaper criticized a St. Louis judge. The paper was fined for contempt of court. What do you think? Should newspapers be allowed to criticize decisions of judges? Or should the courts be held above criticism? Compare your opinion with those of American voters as shown in today's Gallup Poll.

Gets It 'Off His Chest'

Balance Budget or Face Ruin, Dawes Warns in 'Swan Song'

Gives 4-Point Plan For Economizing In Talk to C. of C.

Charles G. Dawes returned to Washington last night to warn, in what he had said would be his swan song, that the budget must be balanced if national bankruptcy and ruin are to be avoided.

The former Vice President, who also was the first budget director, will be 75 next August. He spoke at a dinner at the Mayflower Hotel attended by delegates to the twenty-eighth annual meeting here of the United States Chamber of Commerce.

He had told friends that he had one last speech on his chest, and felt that the chamber meeting was the place to deliver it. The speech was the first he had made in some time.

One of the most colorful personalities to appear on the Washington stage in modern times, Dawes was known for his famous "Hell and Maria" phrase, his straightforward manner, and his understating pipe. He arrived in Washington yesterday without the latter.

Drawing on his experience as the first budget director, he outlined the following four-point program, which he believes the next President will have to follow if he is to be successful in balancing the budget:

Restore the old Federal central coordinating service which, Dawes said, the Roosevelt Administration abolished three months after coming into power. This would permit control by the Chief Executive.

See CHAMBER, Page 4, Column 4.

Overton Sees \$800,000 Rise In D. C. Fund

Bookkeeping Change Proposed; Realty Tax Boost Unlikely, He Says

By James D. Secrest
Post Staff Writer

Washington's real estate tax rate will not need to be raised, yet the District's 1941 appropriations may be increased \$800,000 above the House figure, Chairman John H. Overton, of the Senate subcommittee on District Appropriations, disclosed yesterday as hearings ended on the Capital's supply bill.

Senator Overton said that the \$800,000 increase will be made possible by a mere bookkeeping change in the District auditor's office. Despite the split in income tax collections between March and October, the District may credit all payments to the fiscal year 1940, which ends June 30.

More Than \$49,000,000

If necessary, the District may obtain short-term advances from the Secretary of the Treasury in anticipation of the October income tax collections. As about 70 per cent of the tax returns filed in March were paid simultaneously, however, this loan may not be necessary.

An addition of \$900,000 to the supply bill would bring the total 1941 appropriations to more than \$49,000,000. It would enable the Senate subcommittee to restore the estimates asked by the Commissioners as well as to include about \$49,500 in additional items.

Many Escape Taxes

When the hearings opened Senator Overton expressed the hope that he would be able to provide approximately \$300,000 for the purchase of two or three sites for consolidated elementary schools so that a projected obsolete school replacement program might be started within the next few years.

"I am definitely against adding to the appropriations beyond the revenue available," Overton said, "as that would make it necessary for the commissioners to increase the real estate tax rate, which See DISTRICT, Page 6, Column 5."

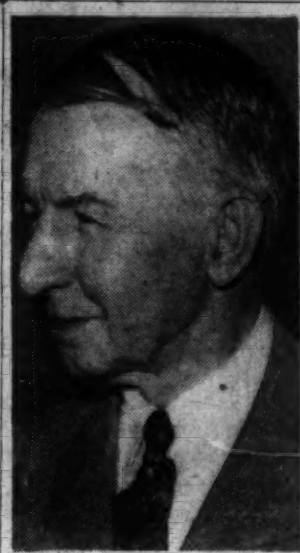
Rerilous Gamble

3 Girls Admit Starting Fire In Reformatory to Escape

Three 'teen-age inmates of the National Training School for Girls on Conduit road yesterday admitted starting a two-alarm fire which Monday night threatened to destroy an antiquated cell-block dormitory. Welfare Director Robert E. Bondy announced last night.

He said the girls—confined to punishment cells because of a recent attempt to escape—hoped to win release from their dingy, cramped quarters by firing the building. They took little heed of their own safety and with 25 other girls in the building would have been trapped had not school authorities taken prompt action when the blaze was first discovered.

With Capt. Clarence Talley of the Seventh Police Precinct, Bondy will confer this morning with juvenile court officials to determine what disciplinary steps are to be taken.



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House Defeats Barden Wage Bill, 66 to 156

Author Disowns Amended Measure, Reversed in Purpose

By John B. Oakes
Post Staff Writer

The Barden bill making sweeping exemptions in the Wage-Hour Act was overwhelmingly defeated in the House yesterday after it had been disowned by its author because it was overloaded with unwelcome amendments.

Representative Barden (Democrat), of North Carolina, sponsor of the bitterly contested measure, announced he would not support it shortly after the House had accepted a surprise amendment preserving the 30-cent minimum wage in the present law. Barden's bill in its original form would have exempted hundreds of thousands of workers from the wage as well as the hour provisions of the act.

House action in turning the measure down by a nonrecord vote of 66 to 156 cleared the way for consideration today of the Norton Bill. While this measure, much less drastic than Barden's proposals, does not have New Deal approval, it is not being fought tooth and nail by the Administration, as was the case with the Barden Bill.

Trading If Likely

Under House procedure, most of the various exemptions in the defeated Barden bill can now be offered as amendments to the Norton Bill. But for the same reasons that led to Barden's rout, it appeared likely last night that Mrs. Norton's bill either would pass in more or less its present form or would be killed by recommitment to the Labor Committee.

Key to the situation today no less than yesterday is the fact that the conference report on the billion-dollar agriculture appropriation bill will come up in the House immediately after the wage-hour question is settled. A separate vote will be held on addition of an unbudgeted \$12,000,000 for farm parity payments, and leaders of the farm bloc See WAGE, Page 6, Column 4.

Norway All But Won, Nazis Say; Withdrawal Hints Stir London; British Quitting Mediterranean

London Reports 'Fresh Landings' Defeat Blamed On Chamberlain

By Edwin Stout
Associated Press Staff Writer

London, April 30.—British setbacks in Norway tonight caused press suggestions of withdrawal of British troops from Norway and a sharp opposition attack on such "apparently inspired articles."

[French sentiment was veering toward a policy of withdrawal from the area south of Trondheim, concentrating on cutting off German ore imports from Sweden by way of Narvik, the New York Times said.]

Far from hinting withdrawal, however, the British war office tonight announced "fresh landings" at undisputed debarkation points on Norway's coast, and answered German claims of victory in central Norway only with reports of "heavy casualties" on the enemy in the Steinkjer sector.

The communiqué neither denied nor acknowledged German claims of the capture of vitally important Dombas, saying:

Campaign at Crisis

"In the Dombas area, the British, fighting with indomitable courage, have resisted any further advances of the enemy." An earlier communiqué had said British troops had withdrawn Sunday to new positions "covering Dombas" after repulsing German attacks.

There was no mention of the situation at Støren, above Dombas, although it was unofficially admitted that the Germans had captured that junction point as well.

Whatever the actual positions of the opposing armies, the Norwegian campaign seemed to have reached a critical stage.

But tonight Sir Archibald Sinclair, Liberal leader, hit at those suggesting British withdrawal from the expeditionary force from the sector.

Withdrawal, he said, was a policy which could be justified only if the military situation were beyond repair.

Sees Loss of Neutrals

"If indeed that be the case, it would be criminal to urge the government to throw away any more valuable lives in a hopeless or almost hopeless effort to retrieve it (the military situation), but searching questions will have to be asked," he said.

Sinclair declared the government must decide on vigorous measures and determined action in Norway, or remaining neutrals would rush to the German bandwagon.

He struck sharply at "false prophesies" telling us Hitler has missed the bus—a phrase which Prime Minister See BRITISH, Page 9, Column 5.

Tornadoes, Flood Kill 12 in South And Midwest

By the Associated Press

Tornadoic wind combined with flood and hail last night to kill 12 persons and cause thousands of dollars damage in five Southern and Midwestern States.

Six were killed in rural Tull community near Benton, Ark., when a tornado tore through the sparsely settled area.

At Richland, Tex., two persons were killed by a twister which wrecked a house.

At least two persons were killed and an unestimated number were injured, several seriously, as tornadoes ripped through sections of southern Illinois and southeast Missouri.

Thirteen persons from both States were taken to Cairo Hospital. Six were hurt at Marion, Ill.

At Grand River, Ky., a woman was killed when a building collapsed during a heavy windstorm.

Reports that Farmfield and McMilia, Mo., and Cache, Ill., were "demolished" could not be verified.

Extensive crop damage was reported in northwestern Arkansas. At Frankston, Tex., a year-old child was drowned when a cloud-burst swept a wall of water through a highway culvert where its mother sought refuge from a tornado.

Lifeline Lengthened

Merchant Vessels Rerouted To Avoid Any Italian Action

Act to Avert Menace From Rome Frees War Fleet From Convoy Duty; Ships Ordered to Circle Africa

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London, April 30.—The government ordered all British merchant and passenger ships out of the Mediterranean tonight, just as was done last August when it was thought Italy might plunge into the war beside its axis partner.

The reason for tonight's action was the same as the one when the war began. With no merchant vessels to shepherd, the British and French warships in the Mediterranean would be free for full time battle and reconnaissance employment in the event hostilities should break out in those waters.

Officially, it was explained, "pronouncement by Italians in responsible positions and the attitude of the Italian press have been recently of such a character as to make it necessary for His Majesty's Government to take certain precautions as regards British shipping which would normally pass through the Mediterranean. They do not intend, however, to continue these precautions any longer than is necessary and they hope circumstances will permit their cancellation in the near future."

The action of routing shipping from the east all the way around Africa, thus lengthening the empire life line by thousands of miles, occurs on the eve of the first of the monthly Fascist cabinet meetings over which Premier Mussolini is to preside tomorrow in Rome.

It also follows by two days the change of the Italian Ambassador in Berlin and of widespread reports that this change portended strengthening of the axis.

Throughout all this week's fulminations by Italian editors and orators against the Allied efforts and intentions some British quarters have felt that the Fascist party's policy was intended to put the fear of possible Italian action into Allied hearts in order to compel France and Great Britain to keep in the Mediterranean warships which in more comfortable circumstances they might wish to divert against Germany in other waters.

While the Italian press drummed away today on the suggestion that the "most powerful fleet in the world is now forced to mark time" and took more than the customary number of cracks at both Britain and France, Italy itself added a 35,000-ton battleship, the Vittorio Veneto. See SHIPPING, Page 9, Column 4.

CAA Transfer Defended By Roosevelt

Blames 'Ignorance Or Politics' for 'Flood Of Misinformation'

(Text of Statement, Page 15.)

By William V. Nessly

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Storen, Dombas Captured, Enemy Retreats to Ports, Berlin Claims

By C. Brooks Peters
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Berlin, April 30.—Complete defeat of Norwegian Allied forces in middle Norway is but a matter of time, Germans proclaimed proudly tonight, with some military circles offering bets the area south of Trondheim would be cleared of Allied troops by May 12.

It is freely admitted here that there is still much fighting to be done before the enemy is wholly crushed, but German success, it is held, is inevitable now.

While German military leaders boasted that the 21-day blitzkrieg in Norway had exceeded their fondest expectations, Fuehrer Hitler, the Reich's self-proclaimed "first soldier" dispatched to his troops in Norway this order of the day:

"Soldiers in the Norwegian theater of war!

"In the tremendous drive forward, German troops today established land communication between Oslo and Trondheim."

Leader Decorated "Therewith the aim of the west powers still to be able to force Germany to her knees by a belated occupation of Norway has been definitely frustrated."

"Units of the army, navy and air force in model cooperation have completed an achievement which in its courage redounds to the highest honor of the young German armed forces."

"Officers, noncommissioned officers, and men:

"You have fought on the Norwegian front against all hardships on sea, land and in the air and against the resistance of the enemy. You have fulfilled a tremendous assignment which I, believing in you and your strength, had to give you."

"I am proud of you. Through me the nation expresses its thanks to you. As an outward expression of this recognition and this thanks I award the commander in chief in Norway, Gen. Von Falkenhof, the Knight's Cross of the Iron Cross."

"Upon the recommendation of you, commander in chief I also will decorate the bravest among you. Your greatest reward now, however, ought to be the satisfaction that you have made a decisive contribution to the most difficult and fateful battle of your nation for existence."

Connection Slender "I know you will continue to fulfill your tasks. Long live our greater Germany."

The reported contact of German forces from Oslo with those from Trondheim was taken as evidence that necessary forces can be brought up to clean up resistance south of Trondheim.

However, even German claims indicate that their forces have not yet gained a direct rail connection between Oslo and Trondheim. The far right wing of the German forces, which is somewhere in the vicinity of Roros, on the secondary Støren-Oslo line, has not been mentioned.

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Swift Advance May Have Cut Off English Force South of Støren

By Otto D. Tolichus
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Stockholm, April 30.—The battle for the Dombas-Støren railroad line, the Allied key position in the heart of Norway, ended today with a German victory the full extent of which must still be determined, but the decisiveness of which there can be no doubt.

According to official German army communiques, German forces have captured both Dombas and Støren and have therewith established overland connection between their main force around Oslo and the hitherto isolated German troops in Trondheim.

Perhaps even more important, they have also ended any immediate Allied chance of an offensive not only against Oslo but against Trondheim, and have thrown the Allied forces back to the immediate vicinity of their landing bases, against which German offensives may be expected immediately.

May Have Begun

In fact, these offensives appear to be already under way. The Germans are on the heels of the Allied forces retreating from Dombas and Støren, and have likewise launched attacks against the Allied lines north of Steinkjer in the direction of Namsos, where French and Norwegian troops are in the first lines and the British in reserve.

Simultaneously, it appears that both landing bases are being subjected to new intensive air bombardment partly to paralyze the debarkation of reinforcements and supplies, but mostly to keep the Allied navy at a distance. Whether the Allies can hold their landing bases without support of heavy naval guns is the question that will decide the whole campaign.

Air Supremacy Superior So far in that campaign German air supremacy has proved superior to Allied sea supremacy, in which connection it must be remembered that the principal German objective in Norway is to obtain closer air bases for a crushing air attack on England itself.

The battle for the Dombas-Støren railroad—the Norwegian Battle of the Marne—was decided in favor of the Germans when to the four columns trying to reach that railroad along the mountain passes in a northwesterly direction, was added a fifth column detached from the reinforced German troops in Trondheim, which attacked the Allies at Støren from the north at the same time that the Germans were battering against Dombas itself, as well as Hjerlring and Ulsberg.

Whether the Germans also attacked Støren from north of Roros is still unknown, but inasmuch as light troops were reported to have See NORWAY, Page 11, Column 2.

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Over the Coffee

By Harlan Miller

THE OLD COURT AND THE NEW

Never has the contrast between the old Supreme Court and the new—so well as the bonds of continuity and tradition that tie them together—been more aptly illustrated than by a little bit of old coffee.

There's no love lost between them, on the plane of ideas. But Mr. Murphy is smarting a little under unjust criticism, and they're both Justices, so Mr. Reynolds dropped in to offer a word of advice and solace.

"Mr. Justice," the dour, aquiline, stiff-necked, McReynolds, who is hostile to most of the things Murphy symbolizes, said, approvingly, "I see that they're trying to annoy you."

"Don't pay any attention to them," he continued, pointing his cane militantly at Murphy, "you don't have to."

Even the Chief Justice came to Mr. Murphy's aid. "What an extraordinary story!" he wrote in a note, in his own strong handwriting, commenting on commentator's tale that Mr. Hughes had criticized Mr. Murphy for his absence. "There isn't a word of truth in it."

"DON'T PAY ANY ATTENTION TO THEM," the old court to the new

In such matters, involving the dignity and historic aloofness of the Supreme Court, the old Justices and the new can offer a united front to a generation that wants to drag the Delphic oracle out of its shrine. The new Justices are beginning to see that a certain remoteness from the arena has its advantages.

In fact, there are already signs of ecclesiastic withdrawal by the five new Justices. They are more cautious in their worldly contacts. They tend to adopt the careful, reserved, and dignified Holmes, Sutherland, Van Devanter, Brandeis and the rest to reach a fine, ripe old age.

Because they have a great deal to live for. They have 20 to 30 years of great power and exalted position ahead. They may become the living extension of the New Deal when the lay new dealers have faded from the scene. For such a role longevity and aloofness are splendid assets.

So the new Justices are restricting their social contacts and guarding their conversations more and more. They see their old friends, but they do not make many new ones. They leave formal parties early, they go to bed early, they eat more sparingly, they watch their health. Each is determined to live past 70.

They are finding the law at their high level an even more jealous mistress than elsewhere. So they are more and more barricaded behind their law books, their secretaries, their vigilant wives. And it is not easy, because all five of the new Justices are men of more than average sociability.

But it won't be easy for them to maintain this seclusion. They are not yet really remote from the political scene. Three or four of the nine justices have been mentioned as Presidential dark horses. And they will be confronted by many decisions falling more and more inside the scope of political controversy.

If the Republicans come into power in 1941 or 1943 or 1945, it is questionable how much unanimity they will muster toward a Supreme Court with five (and perhaps six) New Deal appointees. If the Supreme Court then goes counter to the Administration, it may find itself once again in as bitter a political brawl as it was in the early part of 1937.

But, of course, no Republican regime would ever think of packing the Supreme Court. It would be easier to repeal the New Deal.

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The Gallup Poll

Right of Newspapers to Criticize Judges Upheld by Public in Survey

By Dr. George Gallup,
Director, American Institute of Public Opinion.

Princeton, N. J., April 30.

Should newspapers be allowed to criticize the decisions of court judges?

This issue is stirring wide debate throughout Missouri and other parts of the country in the wake of the sentence imposed on the St. Louis Post-Dispatch for contempt of court in criticizing a St. Louis circuit judge.

The issue put to voters in Missouri and elsewhere by the American Institute of Public Opinion was as follows:

"Which do you think is more important—

A. That newspapers should be allowed to criticize the decisions of judges, or

B. That judges should be free from such criticism?"

Results of Survey

The vote of those with opinions was:

Missouri Voters—

Papers should be allowed to criticize judges 75%

Judges should be free from criticism 25%

Nation's Voters—

Papers should be allowed to criticize judges 75%

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In Missouri only about one voter in every 14 (7 per cent) expressed no opinion on the issue, while for the Nation as a whole approximately one in every eight had no opinion.

Other surveys by the Institute in past years have shown that the American public has great respect for the judicial system and opposes any basic change in the structure of the courts, as for example, the President's Supreme Court enlargement plan.

But it is also true, as today's study shows, that the public does not look upon the courts as sacrosanct or above criticism and reproach.

Domestic Principle Extends To Courts

On the contrary, it apparently feels that the democratic principle of free criticism of public institutions should apply as much to the courts as to other institutions.

This attitude is well reflected in the comments and remarks made by voters in discussing the issue with interviewers in the survey. The comments typical of the majority were that "judges no more perfect than other officials" that "judicial efforts should be exposed, otherwise trials might be held in secret," and that "it is healthy to have all branches of Government open to criticism."

Many likewise declared that the right to criticize judges is part of "free press and free speech."

The minority who, on the other hand, think that judges' decisions should be free from newspaper criticism argue that the courts know more about the facts in a case than the newspapers, and that judges should be "independent of public pressure."

In Congress

By the United Press

hour bill and considering Norton bill. Also heard criticism of National Negro Congress.

Rules Committee approved bills providing additional appropriations for world fairs, and Darden bill for Navy appropriations.

Horner Spending Probe Voted

Springfield, Ill., April 30. (AP)—A broad investigation of the Horner administration's spending was voted unanimously today by the House during a tense day which saw Lieut. Gov. John Stettin surrender his disputed claim to the title of acting Governor.

Stettin quietly took his customary place as presiding officer of the Senate when the special session of the Illinois General Assembly opened, thus dropping automatically his claim of having taken over the duties of the ailing Gov. Henry Horner.

Special Notices

ANNUAL MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS, American Petroleum Building Association, will be held at the office, 620 F street northwest, MAY 1, 1940, at 3 p. m., for election of officers and directors. Polls open from 10 a. m. to 2 p. m.

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Cornetist Finds It Takes More D. C. Wind to Go Down, 'Round

What happens when "the music goes down and round" a brass cornet is the concern of 21-year-old Daniel W. Martin, physics instructor at the University of Illinois.

Martin brought his mechanical playing horn to the final session of the American Acoustical Society meeting at the Bureau of Standards yesterday and observed it took more wind to make it work in Washington "in a Presidential year" than it did in Illinois.

That Martin's cornet studies are by no means to be taken lightly was evidenced by the fact that the society's scientists gave him 20 minutes of rapid attention during a session devoted to more esoteric matters.

What Martin has produced is a set of mechanical "lips" and with them duplicate, essentially, the action of a musician's lips on the cornet mouthpiece. By blowing air through the "lips" and into the horn he

is able to produce sound at a steady pitch to enable accurate study of what goes on, acoustically, inside the trumpet.

Martin said he wanted it understood at the outset that he was not attempting to produce a cornet for playing mechanical concerts. He is interested first, he said, in clearing up the mystery of what happens to sound when it gets inside a brass wind instrument.

Dr. Emanuel M. Stephenson, New

York City physician, told the society that a type of progressive deafness associated with roaring ear sounds may be corrected if sufferers take vitamin E, the fertility vitamin.

Herbert Grove Dorsey, of the United States Coast and Geodetic Survey, described a new type of buoy which will enable a ship in war to make port without using its radio to give away its position.

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NLRB Aide Blocked Union, Inquiry Told

Accused of Favoring C. I. O. by Delaying Organization of Rival

By Hedley Donovan
Post Staff Writer

A regional director of the NLRB was accused yesterday of "stalling off" requests for bargaining certification from an independent union with 4,000 members in order to give a C. I. O. local of "12 or 15" members a chance to organize the National Cash Register plant at Dayton, Ohio.

Irvin Delscamp, attorney for the N. C. R. Employees Independent Union, told the House Committee investigating the NLRB that Philip G. Phillips, head of the board's Cincinnati office, was consistently "pro-C. I. O." during negotiations which blocked the union from dealing with the company for seven months in 1938-1939.

Witnesses said Phillips repeatedly used profanity in describing their organization, which he contended was company-dominated.

When union officials threatened to file charges unless their organization were granted recognition, Delscamp testified, Phillips said he would "dismiss instantly" such charges.

Contradiction Alleged

In a letter written to the board during the National Cash Register negotiations, however, Phillips said there was "no evidence whatever" of company interference with formation of the independent union. The document was placed in the record by Committee Counsel Edmund M. Toland.

Ezra M. Kuhns, general counsel for the company, said the company, "an innocent bystander," in the controversy between the board and the independent union, was forced to spend \$60,000 in stenographic charges and attorney's fees.

Earlier yesterday, Representative Arthur Healey, of Massachusetts, a member of the committee's New Deal minority, and Mapes Davidson, former NLRB trial examiner, contributed a long series of sharply phrased questions and answers to the record.

Davidson charged Healey with attempts to "twist" his meaning, while the Massachusetts legislator at one point termed the witness' testimony "abusive."

Charged Radicalism

Davidson, who resigned from the NLRB March 17 and received a telegram two days later announcing his dismissal, testified last week that the board is "replete with rotten radicalism."

Healey, at whose request Davidson was called back to the stand, pointed out that the board, in reversing various decisions by the trial examiner, had ruled against reinstatement of a total of 22 employees whom Davidson had contended were improperly discharged.

Frederick Stitt Will Be Buried This Afternoon

Services for Frederick S. Stitt, 66, Washington patent attorney, who died at his home Monday of a heart attack, will be at 2 p. m. today at the Chevy Chase Presbyterian Church.

Mr. Stitt, who lived at 1921 Kalorama road northwest with his daughter, Mrs. F. D. Little, was a native of Baltimore. He was a graduate of Dickinson College, Carlisle, Pa., and of George Washington University. After 1912, he practiced law in the District with Watson E. Coleman.

Transit Co. Lauds Miss Eckstein

Miss Emma Eckstein, 69, of Takoma Park, Md., who recently completed 50 years of service with the Capital Transit Co. and its predecessors, yesterday received the congratulations of the company's board of directors.

The directors, in a letter, said her service constituted "a record among women in the transit industry that is indeed unique, if not unparalleled."

Miss Eckstein, a clerk, began working for the Washington & Georgetown Railroad Co. April 1, 1890.

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Associated Press WIREPHOTO

Crowned the healthiest baby in the Methodist Hospital, New York, yesterday, Rose Bloise, 6 months, seems to be making a few remarks. Entrants in the contest were babies born in the hospital in the last six months to parents who have received child-health guidance in clinics. Her parents are Mr. and Mrs. Biagio Bloise, of Brooklyn.

U.S. Steel Profit \$17,113,995 For Quarter

Net Income for First 3 Months Is 26 Times Greater Than Year Ago

By the Associated Press
New York, April 30.—United States Steel Corporation reported today net income in the first three months of this year was 26 times as great as in the like 1939 period, but much smaller than in the last quarter of last year.

The net profit was \$17,113,995, or \$1.24 a common share, compared with \$660,551, or 19 cents a share on the 7 per cent preferred in the first quarter of 1939 and \$28,729,177, or \$2.59 a common share in the final quarter of last year.

Directors ordered the regular quarterly dividend of \$1.75 a share on the preferred but took no action on the common. The most recent payment on the junior equity was \$1 a share last Friday.

Prior to this there had been no distribution to common shareholders since \$1 was paid in December, 1937. Today's dividend on the senior stock is payable May 20 to stock of record May 2.

The profits were in close parallel to the comparative rate of steel production operations. In the March quarter it was 68.9 per cent of capacity compared with 51.7 per cent in the March, 1939, period and 86.9 per cent in the December quarter.

Shipments of finished steel products in the March period totaled 3,086,753 tons, against 2,483,409 in the previous March quarter and 4,196,029 in the December quarter.

Last quarter, "Big Steel" operated with 244,091 employees, drawing \$99,135,515, while in the like 1939 period, employees totaled 208,907 and drew \$83,065,315.

The management reported it had spent \$10,300,000 thus far this year for improvements to properties and that an unexpended balance of \$63,000,000 appropriated for this purpose remained on April 1.

Dr. Page Leaves For Father's Rites

Dr. Massie Page, of 4432 Edmunds street, northwest, will leave this morning for Batonsville, Va., for the funeral today of his father, Dr. Robert Lee Page, 77, who died Monday at his Batonsville home.

Dr. Page besides the son residing in Washington leaves John W. Page, of North Garden, Va., and Mrs. Laurence Gray, of Tucson, Ariz.

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Dewey Loses, Farley Ahead In Bay State

Pension Slate Pledged To C. O. P. Prosecutor Trails by Wide Margin

By the Associated Press

Boston (Wednesday), May 1 (AP).—Massachusetts Republicans rejected an old-age pension slate supporting Thomas E. Dewey in favor of an unpledged delegation of returns mounted today in the State Presidential primaries, while Bay State Democrats pushed close to completion a slate pledged to Postmaster General Farley.

In 12 of the State's 15 Congressional districts, the "official" slates pledged to Farley ran well ahead, and barring a sharp reversal of the trend it appeared the Roosevelt Cabinet officers would bag the 48 convention delegates involved. In three districts his supporters were engaged in nip-and-tuck battles for 12 more district delegate seats.

The 12-man Democratic delegation at large, also officially pledged to Farley, was elected without opposition. Each of the dozen was allotted one-third of a vote in the national convention.

Dewey Pledges Beaten

On the Republican side, a four-man unpledged delegation-at-large headed by Gov. Leverett Saltonstall and backed by the G. O. P. State committee literally snowed under an old age pension group led by William H. McManis, who had pledged his organization to the candidacy of Dewey, but without the authorization of the New York District Attorney.

The first 1,316 precincts out of 1,609 gave:

Unpledged delegation: Saltonstall, 44,525; Senator Lodge, 44,585; House Minority Leader Martin, 39,786; John W. Haigis, 40,117. Old age pension (Dewey): McManis, 10,127; Byron P. Hayden, 8,306; Harry P. Gibbs, 7,944; Seldon G. Hill, 7,846.

For the most part, the Republican State committee's slate of district delegates, running as unpledged, appeared assured of election, but in two of the 15 Congressional districts there were close battles that only a final count could decide.

2-Man Slate Trails

In Springfield, a two-man district slate openly favorable to Dewey's candidacy but entirely dissociated from the McManis group trailed by approximately 300 votes with eight of the 103 precincts still uncounted. In the Thirteenth District the State committee's choices trailed behind an independent group with the count one-fourth completed.

McManis conceded the defeat of his four-man delegation-at-large after but 195 of the State's 1,609 precincts had been counted, and later tallies in the Congressional districts left him with only slim hope of breaking into the delegate list.

Dirksen Offers Amendments To D. C. Tax Law

Representative Dirksen (Republican), of Illinois, yesterday introduced in the form of a bill amendments to the District income tax law.

Dirksen said he hoped to have the House District Committee consider the amendments at its meeting next Monday, but Representative Nicholas (Democrat), of Oklahoma, chairman of the fiscal affairs subcommittee, said he does not expect to propose any further revenue legislation to the House this session.

Chief among Dirksen's amendments is one that strikes out the "domicile" limitation and substitutes "place of abode" with supplementary provisions for taxing the District income of nonresidents.

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Whelchel Got Half His Pay, Carrier Says

By the Associated Press

Gainesville, Ga., April 30.—A stammering 32-year-old rural mail carrier testified today he paid the equivalent of half his first year's salary as a "campaign contribution" to Representative B. Frank Whelchel (Democrat), of Georgia, in return for his appointment.

Hulon Holcomb, of Ball Ground, Ga., said he was a \$75 a month clerk for his father, S. H. Holcomb, sr., when the latter conferred with Whelchel prior to his appointment, and later told him to contribute \$1,100 to the Congressman.

Father and son subsequently borrowed money from a Canton, Ga., bank, young Holcomb told a Federal court jury, and he paid the specified amount to Pickens County Commissioner H. Grady Jones, accused by the Government as go-between for Whelchel in the alleged job sales.

Three months later he was named a rural carrier, Holcomb said.

Whelchel, Congressman since 1934 for 18 north Georgia counties, is accused jointly with Jones of receiving \$2,700 for three postal appointments, and charged separately with agreeing to accept \$1,500 for a fourth appointment which failed to materialize.

The prosecution, headed by Assistant U. S. Attorney General O. John Rogge and District Attorney Lawrence Camp, called a parade of bank and finance company officials to the stand to identify deposit slips, canceled checks, transfers and other bank records in an effort to trace payments by prospective appointees.

Postlude

By Ray C. B. Brown.

In honor of the fiftieth anniversary of its foundation, the Pan American Union presents Tuesday night a concert by the U. S. Marine Band Orchestra (Capt. William F. Santelmann, director) and Bidu Sayao, Brazilian soprano. Program of compositions representing Argentina, Brazil, Chile, the United States and Uruguay.

Guests of the Pan American Union filled the Hall of the Americas to overflowing last evening when Bidu Sayao, the charming Brazilian soprano, appeared with the U. S. Marine Band Orchestra in a concert which was one of the events in the fiftieth year of the Union's existence. The cantatrice, who has in perfect voice and at technical ease, delighted her

auditors to such an extent that she was obliged to add two songs to the group she had prepared for her last contribution to the program.

Her first offering was the set of bravura variations from Adolphe Adam's opera, "Le Toredor," which she performed with brilliance an ingratiating quality of tone. These exacting vocal embroideries were adapted by Adam from Mozart's piano variations on the old French song, "Ah, vous dirai-je, Maman," and they include practically every kind of fortitude that has been devised for a flexible voice. With orchestral support they sounded much more effective than in the usual version for recital.

The orchestra was also adjutant in her reading of the aria, "Come serenamente," from the opera, "Lo Schiavo," by Antonio Carlos Gomes, the first Brazilian composer to attain European renown. Verdi is said to have praised the dramatic works of Gomes, and in this excerpt one can readily see a reason for that commendation. The lyric line is lovely in itself and finely written for the voice.

In a group of seven songs, in which she was accompanied by Milne Charney, Mme. Sayao paid compliments to two composers from the Argentine—C. Lopez Buchardo and Florio M. Ugarte—and three from Brazil—Octavio Pinto, Heitor Villa-Lobos and Alvaro Costa. Buchardo's "Cancion del Carretero" was "local" in its rhythm, and atmosphere, as were Ugarte's "Caballito Criollo" and Pinto's "Presente de Natal," while the European-lie influenced Ugarte's "Ofrenda," Pinto's "Pere" and Costa's "Serenata." The Viola Quebrada" by Villa-Lobos was marked by the strong individuality of this composer, who becomes more interesting with every work of his that one hears.

A first performance on the program was the "Festival Overture" composed for the occasion by Luiz Gusman, a member of the orchestra. This is a well-built and solid overture in the conventional first-movement form of a symphony.

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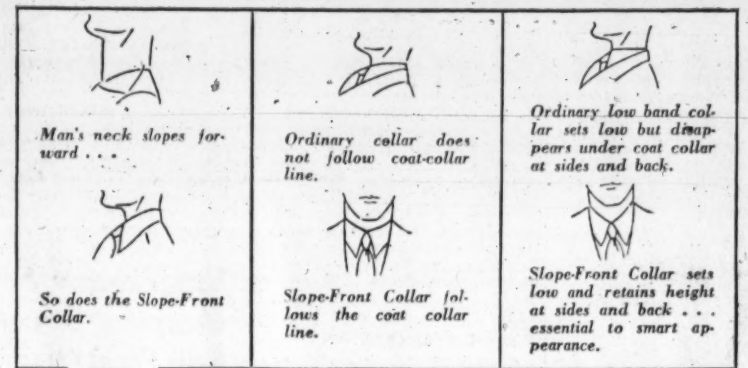
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Power Utility Challenges Order of SEC

Willkie Corporation Defies Commission's Ruling on Subsidiaries

By the United Press

The Commonwealth and Southern Corporation yesterday challenged the power of the Securities and Exchange Commission to compel it to divorce itself from its subsidiary corporations under "death sentence" clause of the Utility Holding Company Act.

The corporation stated its position in a brief filed with the SEC, replying to proceedings inaugurated by the commission to force the company to comply with the statute.

One brief was filed by Wendell L. Willkie, president of the corporation and prominently mentioned as a possible Republican Presidential nominee, and heads of the subsidiaries affected.

The corporation said it had no knowledge that it was not operating an integrated utility system. Its ownership of stock in subsidiaries, the brief added, was not detrimental either to the public interest or to the interest of investors and consumers.

The commission, it said, could not constitutionally issue an order forcing it to dispose of any of its properties.

The brief contended that all subsidiaries were being operated efficiently and that it would be to the detriment of the subsidiaries to compel the parent corporation to dispose of its stock interests.

The Holding Company Act requires utility holding companies to simplify the financial structure of their systems and to integrate their holdings on a geographical basis.

The SEC, which is granted considerable latitude in administering the statute, recently initiated steps looking toward enforcement of these proceedings.

K. of C. Council Supper Observes 43d Anniversary

Washington Council of the Knights of Columbus, oldest unit of the order in the District, observed the forty-third anniversary of its founding with a supper and dance last night at the Willard Hotel.

Among 400 members and guests attending the celebration were State Deputy Thomas F. Carlin and District Deputies John M. Connell and William D. Wilcoxson and the grand knights of the other District councils, Thomas V. Myers, Carroll, James F. Kehoe, Keane, Matthew J. O'Callaghan, Spalding, and Robert L. Sheridan, Potomac.

Grand Knight Robert F. Handley, of Washington Council, was master of ceremonies.

Alfred Anthony, Family Inherit Share of Estate

New York, April 30.—Alfred Anthony, his wife, Margaret, and their children, Margaret S. and Hope S. Anthony, all of 1701 Sixteenth street northwest, Washington, each receive one-twelfth of the residue of the estate of Frank L. Anthony, which was appraised here today for transfer tax purposes at \$237,113 net.

The testator died in Larchmont, N. Y., December 15, 1938.

Garnerites Ratify Compromise With 3d-Termers on Texas

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chairman of the Texas Garner for President Committee.

Representative Johnson, Roosevelt 100 per center, meantime praised the work done by Rayburn, and predicted he would lead the Garnerite Texas delegation "with other men of his liberal make-up."

New Dealers generally are understood to favor Rayburn as the Texas delegation leader.

Iowa Leaders Confer

A round of conferences between Iowa State and National leaders later brought a forecast from Senator Herring, (Democrat), of Iowa, that the Iowa delegation will support Roosevelt if he runs and Secretary of Agriculture Wallace as a "favorite son" if the President is not a candidate.

In an effort to harmonize Iowa differences, Ed H. Birmingham, Iowa Democratic chairman, had called at the White House. Later Secretary Wallace conferred with Birmingham, Herring, and Senator Gillette, a third term opponent, has favored a delegation instructed for Wallace.

Birmingham on leaving the White House indicated there might be a "complimentary" endorsement for Wallace, with the delegation actually favoring the President if he runs.

Following the later conference with Wallace, Senator Herring said it was agreed that the May 11 State convention would be urged to instruct first for Roosevelt; if he is a candidate, Herring said he thought it would be "Roosevelt on the first ballot."

This would differ from the Texas agreement to give Garner the Texas delegation, without strings, except for the no "stop Roosevelt" pledge.

North Carolina Democrats were reported to have harmonized differences by agreeing at their May 17 convention to instruct a delegation for Roosevelt, but to leave delegates free if the President does not run.

Under this arrangement, no third term resolution would be considered at the North Carolina convention. Gov. Clyde R. Hoey originally favored a delegation instructed for Secretary of State Hull.

Missouri Up to Clark

Control of the already selected Missouri Democratic delegation, however, apparently remained in the hands of Senator Bennett Champ Clark, of Missouri, a third-term opponent, who asked and obtained an unstructured delegation at the State convention, April 15.

Friends of Senator Clark took immediate exception to a statement circulated by Gov. Lloyd C. Stark, third-term advocate, that "the delegation from Missouri to the Democratic National Convention is predominantly for President Roosevelt."

Clark himself observed that it was through his intervention that Stark was given a place on the delegation. Stark is a candidate for the Senate against former District Attorney Maurice Milligan, reputed to have Clark support, and Senator Truman, seeking reelection.

Overshadowing other developments, the Garner-Roosevelt peace pact in Texas, launched with the President's knowledge from the White House Monday by Representative Rayburn and Johnson, received verification from Texas yesterday.

The ratifying wire from Under-Secretary of Interior Wirtz to Rayburn and Johnson read:

"I have your telegram and am

happy to advise that my views are in harmony with the program you outline. Namely, first, that the Texas State Democratic convention approve and acclaim Administration record and refuse to be a party to any stop Roosevelt movement; and second, the convention endorse native son John Garner and send delegation instructed to vote for his nomination for the Presidency and third to this end I advocate that the State convention select a delegation of representative Texans pledged in good faith to carry out the above program, and to work for party harmony and party success. I welcome the assurance of Mr. Blacklock that he will cooperate in carrying out such program."

Blacklock's confirming wire to Rayburn and Johnson read:

"I have your program and agree with you. Our organization advocates a three point program as follows: One, a strong endorsement of the Roosevelt-Garner Administration. Two, an endorsement to the Texas delegation to work and vote as a unit at Chicago for the nomination of our great fellow Texan—John Nance Garner for President. Three, the selection of a Texas delegation composed of a strong and representative group of Texas Democrats, both men and women, to carry out this program, and not to serve as a stop Roosevelt movement. Have conferred with Mr. Wirtz and we are in accord on this program."

Pittsburgh, April 30 (AP).—Ernest T. Weir, steelmaster and National Republican Committee finance chairman, declared today his party definitely is committed to "bring back prosperity."

Blaming a general business stagnation upon a lack of confidence "due to the New Deal," the silver-haired industrialist expressed the opinion the low point now has been reached, and predicted a Republican victory in November would bring a "great rush" of activity.

Emergency Sets Hospital Record For First Quarter

Reflecting the high incidence of pneumonia, influenza and other respiratory diseases last winter, the first three months of 1940 comprised the busiest quarter in Emergency Hospital's history, its superintendent reported yesterday.

Bed occupancy during the period averaged 92 per cent of capacity, a new record, said Superintendent B. B. Sandridge.

At the same time, Maj. Gist Blair, president of the Emergency Hospital board of directors, made public his report for 1939 showing the institution finished the year in the black after reducing its mortgage liability by \$83,000.

The hospital last year gave 81,469 patient-days of bed care, its dispensary recorded 26,150 visits and the two ambulances answered 3,673 calls.

Reelection of Major Blair as president, Dr. A. B. Moore as secretary and Samuel H. Kauffmann as vice president was announced. Stanley D. Willis was elected treasurer and George A. Garrett second vice president.

New members of the board's executive committee are Dr. Guy W. Leadbetter and Mr. Willis.

Balance Budget or Face Ruin, Dawes Says in 'Swan Song'

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and attack the problem "four-square and firm."

Gov. Raymond E. Baldwin (Republican), of Connecticut, flayed the New Deal as a "do-nothing Government."

Earlier the nominating committee, it was learned, selected James Scott Kemper, president of the Lumbermen's Mutual Casualty Co., Chicago, for president of the chamber. His election at the final business meeting tomorrow is regarded as certain.

He Must Be of 'Sierra Staff'

Silas H. Strawn, Chicago, former chamber president, declared a proposal by Senator O'Mahoney (Democrat), of Wyoming, to penalize by taxation further technological advances was "incomprehensibly foolish."

"But I'm not surprised at anything these days," he declared. Strawn spoke at a general luncheon forum.

Dawes, whose address featured the chamber's "organization night" dinner, declared the next President would have to be made of "stern stuff" if he is to "save the Nation from bankruptcy and its people

from ruin." He cannot afford to do any "political trimming," he declared. Moreover, he will wage the battle "under desperate disadvantages."

"Against him," Dawes declared, "will be arrayed the largest, strongest and most formidably entrenched army of interested Government spenders, wastrels, and patronage-dispensing politicians the world has ever known."

"Skilled in Specious Excuses"

The "astounding" action of the Roosevelt Administration in abolishing the Federal coordinating service, he said, "was one of the chief causes of the present condition of chaos in the business system of our Government."

The plan he proposed, he declared, was what a private enterprise would follow if faced by the same situation in its own organization. The next President, he said, must convince Government personnel that he is in dead earnest and will stand no nonsense from spending department heads like those who are now riding horseback

through the present "demoralized" setup.

Under the present Administration, Dawes contended, Government agencies have been operated "like units in an army which has no general staff or commander in chief."

Heads of departments and agencies, he said, are continually trying to find means for getting more money for their own activities. "They are skilled in specious excuses," he declared, and are inclined to use "the damnable devices or bureaucratic procrastination."

They can be brought into line, he said, only by "sheer force" applied by the President.

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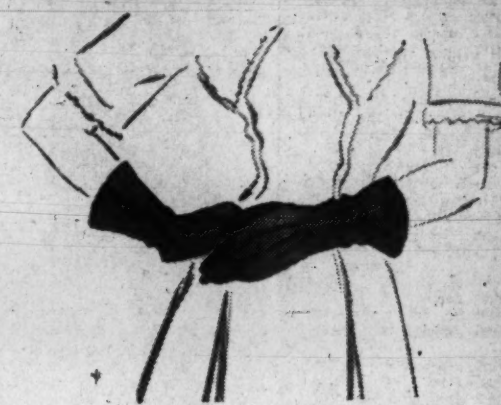
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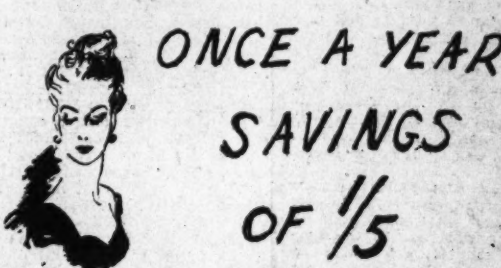
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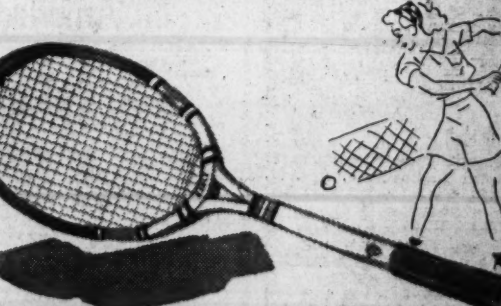
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The Federal Diary

Ellender Plans Merit System Quiz Reopening

Hearings to Start 'Surely Next Week,' Senator Asserts

By Edward Ryan

Senator Ellender (Democrat), of Louisiana, said yesterday he plans to reopen his probe of the civil service and problems of its employees. Hearings will start "surely next week," he said.

Ellender is chairman of the special committee which last spring heard several dozen Government employees air protests against "petty tyranny" and "favoritism" in the service.

Several cases which were heard last year now merit further study, Ellender said, and several new lines of inquiry may be opened.

Ellender said he plans to call in all Government personnel chiefs and find out from them how the President's executive orders of June, 1938, which set up the personnel offices, are working out.

"I believe that we have strong evidence that some of these personnel directors are under the thumb of the bosses," said Ellender.

He explained that the evidence was circumstantial, "but indicated that some personnel directors consult their bosses before they 'turn a hand.' It will seek a way, he said, to make these officers more independent, "so they can act freely without fear."

Another inquiry, said Ellender, may be made into problems of older Government supervisors.

"I want to see if there's a way to transfer some of these supervisors from one job to another, so they won't have to see the same faces all the time," Ellender said. Monotony of seeing the same faces year after year, he suggested, might make some supervisors blind to employee complaints. A way to give them a change of jobs, and faces, could bring "healthy" improvement in the service, he said.

Ellender said that among the old cases which he plans to probe further, is that of Miss Mary North, Navy Department employee. He said that after she testified before the committee last year, Miss North had been "punished" by being assigned to the stenographers' pool.

"I contend she's been punished," said Ellender. "I want to find out who did it, and get those birds punished."

Ellender said he had hoped to start hearings this week, but had been tied up with work for the Naval Affairs Committee. He said there is a possibility of starting the hearing this week, and "surely next week."

Complaints over the "narrow" interpretations which Civil Service Commission examiners used in grading applicants for Government statistical jobs have resulted in plans for a committee to review the examination.

The examination was opened last October for three grades of statistical jobs, with salaries ranging from \$3,800 to \$5,600. It was an "un-assembled" examination, with no requirement for a written test and the ratings to be based entirely on the applicant's record of experience.

Committee Being Formed

Between 2,500 and 3,000 applications were filed and in some instances applicants complained that top-flight experience records had failed to qualify them for even the lowest grade.

W. Arthur McCoy, chief of the examining division, said that a committee is being organized, to include two or three examiners and representatives of the agencies seeking statistical employees.

He explained that the complaints over the examination ratings may have resulted from the fact that there are two schools of thought on what the requirements for a statistician should be. One line, he said, is "very mathematical," while the other emphasizes "overall" statistical work. He indicated that the first guide had been applied in rating the applications.

"We want to see a liberal interpretation," said McCoy.

Station PDS Presents Concert Pianist

A graduate of Central High School and of George Washington University will be the guest artist on the PDS program this morning over Station WMAL. She is Miss Evelyn Ann Foster, of 3015 Porter street, northwest. Miss Foster is a concert pianist and has appeared as soloist in the premiere concert this season of the Washington Civic Orchestra.

"Station PDS Presents" broadcast by Lee Everett from the Peoples Drug Store Studio, Seventh and G streets northwest, is presented each weekday morning from 7:30 to 8:30 over Station WMAL by Peoples Drug Stores in cooperation with The Washington Post. Actors over 18 years old may participate in the auditions at 7:30 p. m. Tuesdays at the M. B. C. Studios. Performers are paid \$5 for their appearance on this program.

Red Cross Sends Fund For Norse Refugees

The American Red Cross cabled \$10,000 to the Swedish Red Cross yesterday for relief of Norwegian refugees there, it announced. The relief will be distributed in cooperation with the Royal Swedish Relief Committee headed by Crown Prince Gustaf Adolph of Sweden.

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Pan American Health Chiefs Convene Today

Dr. Carlos Finlay's Son Among Delegates To Conference

Just 50 years ago history was made at an international sanitary conference held in Washington when a Cuban delegate boldly proclaimed his theory that yellow fever was borne by a certain species of mosquito.

Subsequently Walter Reed verified the theory of Dr. Carlos Finlay, who is remembered today not only for his contribution against "yellow jack" but as a prime mover in the founding of the Pan American Sanitary Bureau.

At 11 o'clock this morning the fourth Pan American Conference of National Directors of Health will be opened at the Pan American Union. One of the delegates will be an affable, white haired man whose Spanish emerges with a faintly British accent.

That man is Dr. Charles E. Finlay, national health director of Cuba and son of the Finlay who was the first to identify yellow fever with the mosquito. He is here to report on the island's progress against disease.

Youngest member of the delegation of directors is Dr. A. V. Mastellari, Panama's public health chief, who received his M. D. from George Washington University in 1931. He is 32, an enthusiastic crusader against tuberculosis, a sanguine spokesman for his republic.

Panama, he said, has not had a case of yellow fever since 1907. Scientific sanitary measures are conquering malaria and progress is being made toward reduction of the death rate from tuberculosis, the country's principal killer, said Dr. Mastellari.

As for home politics, he deprecated reports that the present administration is suppressing freedom of speech or press in connection with the coming presidential election.

"Under President Boyd, a noted surgeon himself, Panama has made very favorable headway in bettering the health of the population," he declared.

Venezuela's health director, Dr. L. Garcia Maldonado, said his chief health problems are tuberculosis, such parasitic diseases as hookworm and schistosomiasis, malaria and venereal infections.

"Our public health worries," he says, "are about the same as yours in the United States. Our population is predominantly white, hence we are free of scourges which victimize Indian and Negro peoples."

Dr. Schaffino has written two volumes on the disease in Uruguay and is now working on the third.

Representatives of British, French and Dutch colonies in the New World have been invited to the Pan American health directors' conference for the first time and one of the first arrivals was Dr. A. E. Wolff, of Dutch Guiana.

This is only the beginning of a world investigation trip for him. When the meeting here adjourns next week he will go to New York to sail for the Netherlands East Indies to study tropical diseases in Java and Sumatra.

First time he ever entered an airplane was when he boarded a Pan American clipper at Paramaribo to fly to Washington.

"I'm a flying fan now," he said.

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In 'Uncle Sam's Follies'



Surrounded by beauty and talent is F. Prevost Holmes, who takes a leading role in "Uncle Sam's Follies," the musical comedy to be presented May 16 at Roosevelt High School by the theater group of the Interior Department Recreation Association. Jean Forbes and Eleanor J. Smart stand on either side of Mr. Holmes. In rear are June Rinehart, Christine West and Joy Patterson.

Roosevelt Defends Transfer of CAA

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reference to a group of pilots from 11 other nation's airlines who gathered here Monday to oppose the transfer in Congress.

Resentment was shown in the statement at "the implication that we are not interested in saving lives, which is certainly contradicted by the record of our progress in civil aviation during recent years."

He declared that "everybody is for the abstract idea of reorganization in the interest of increased efficiency and economy" but "there is a rather discouraging collapse of enthusiasm when concrete proposals are made."

"In selfish protection of their own interests," his statement continued, "we always find particular groups who hitherto favored reorganization are in protest."

McCarran Leads Opposition

The President's transfer order was issued April 11 and will become effective in 60 days unless both houses disapprove it. Senator McCarran (Democrat), of Nevada, has introduced a resolution of disapproval and has acted as leader of opposition.

As he read his statement to the reporters, the President frequently interjected remarks. At one point he commented that the three men at the top in the Air Safety Board, whose positions would be abolished in the transfer, have been fighting each other all day long.

The three whose jobs would be abolished are Thomas Hardin, C. B. Allen and Sumner Smith, but Smith resigned some time ago.

The President said the plan would give the Administration a centralized control over aeronautics which he insisted is lacking at present despite newspaper articles. In response to inquiries, he denied that the move was a return to the days when the old aviation board, about the time Senator Bronson Cutting, of New Mexico, was killed in an air crash, "made the rules, enforced them, and then, when something went wrong, investigated itself."

Cites Division of Authority

Explaining the proposed changes, Mr. Roosevelt emphasized that there were now three agencies, the Civil Aeronautics Authority, the administrator and the Air Safety Board. "All autonomous groups, none of them represented at the Cabinet table."

"Despite handicaps," he asserted, "the Federal program for civil aeronautics has now achieved a status and an importance which justify bringing this program more closely into the Federal family. The proposal will place it within the framework of the Department of Commerce where it will have a closer relationship with the important reporting services of the Weather Bureau and the essential air navigation chart service of the Coast and Geodetic Survey."

He also asserted that the "present five-member authority which has received such widespread praise remains as an independent civil aeronautics board performing the basic regulatory functions. It will continue to appoint and control its own personnel and submit its own budget."

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Barden Wage Bill Defeated in House

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are in desperate need of a few urban votes to carry this item.

As some members from the large cities have flatly given warning that they will oppose, partly if sweeping agricultural exemptions to the wage-hour law are adopted in the House, it appeared probable last night that a mildly amended Norton bill would be about as far as the House would go.

And if the House embarks on an amending spree, as it did yesterday, which was generally considered a kiss of death to the Barden bill, would have eliminated exemptions from the wage provisions of the wage-hour law in a long list of processes connected with agriculture.

Southern Bloc Surprised

The amendment offered yesterday, which was generally considered a kiss of death to the Barden bill, would have eliminated exemptions from the wage provisions of the wage-hour law in a long list of processes connected with agriculture.

Its sponsor, Representative Brown (Republican), of Ohio, challenges his colleagues to approve it, as many of them have been saying they were interested in easing only the hour restrictions of the present law. Taking the conservative Southern Democratic bloc by surprise, the proposal was approved by voice vote.

Other amendments tacked on to the Barden bill would have exempted small banks, newspapers with less than 5,000 circulation, butter-milk producers and some canners.

When 14 amendments had been added, Representative Keefe (Republican), of Wisconsin, announced he intended to vote against the Barden proposal, in effect, the motion was turned down, 62 to 127.

Soon afterward, Representative Marcanonio (American Labor), of New York, proposed in effect, to kill both measures; and he had the unusual experience of being supported by Representative Thomas (Republican), of New Jersey, who ordinarily is far from agreeing with Marcanonio. However, the motion was turned down, 62 to 127.

Simmons, U. S. Finance Aide In War, Dies

By the Associated Press

New Bern, N. C., April 30.—Furnifold McLendel Simmons, who as chairman of the Senate Finance Committee from 1913 to 1919 played a major role in financing the United States' participation in the World War, died at the home of a daughter here today. He was 86.

Simmons served North Carolina in the Senate from 1900 to 1906. As the District would have a deficit of \$1,083,415 at the end of the current fiscal year.

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Senator Overton Offers Plan to Get \$800,000 Increase in Fund for D. C.

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already bears its fair share of the local tax burden."

Senator Overton reiterated his proposal that the Federal contribution be enlarged and that the District's revenue system be "balanced" along the lines recommended in the Bond report.

"The District is going to get a sales tax sooner or later," he predicted. "The reasons Washington should have a sales tax are entirely different from those that might be offered for a State sales tax."

"Here you have members of Congress, government employees, and foreign diplomats living in the Capital and getting all the benefits that the city has to offer without contributing a cent, except perhaps in gasoline taxes, for its support."

"In addition, there are thousands of persons who earn their living in the District and yet reside in suburban Maryland or Virginia. They likewise escape District taxation."

Senator Overton pointed out that real estate now bears about 60 per cent of the municipal tax load.

His remarks followed the testimony of E. Barrett Prettymann, chairman of the municipal finance committee of the Board of Trade, on the District supply bill.

Prettymann said that the House had cut the city budget unnecessarily on the ground that half of the local income tax would not be collected before October or well into the new fiscal year. The House subcommittee, moreover, expected the income tax returns to fall below the estimated \$3,200,000.

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REWARD, from Page 1

through even though it cost the lives of 500,000 Germans.

"The question of offering the reward has been under discussion by a group of members of the Duquesne Club here for two or three months," Church said. "Finally the project has taken shape, and I was selected to make the offer public. There are, in the group of present sponsors, about 50 persons, some of them women."

"I have held back quite a while, not that I doubted the possibility of success of the plan—but do I doubt it now—but because I doubted that it would strike the imagination of the world in the manner that it should."

Recalls Kaiser Try

"But I felt that there was some power in the idea, especially so because it is not in any sense an offer of reward for an assassination, and so I have come to believe that it will indeed catch people's imagination."

Recalling that after the close of the World War a group of Americans attempted to capture the former Kaiser in Holland, Church remarked that "there is in the record an actual case of an essay at such a grandiose adventure."

"I believe in my heart," Church continued, "that Mr. Hitler should be held as the common enemy of mankind and brought to justice accordingly. Unthinking people may say that this was a war between the haves and the have-nots, that it has arisen from economic causes, but that is a contention which will not bear examination by anyone who has read Mr. Hitler's book as I have."

"He has in his brain the same criminal motive which has guided the destroyers of civilization of other times; he is consumed with the desire of conquering the world for the mere pleasure of conquering the world."

"There is nothing Mr. Hitler could honestly have desired that he could not have obtained by negotiation," Church said, "although in the letter in which the reward offer was set forth he had stipulated trial by the League of Nations, he did not think it would be wise for anyone to attempt to deliver the German chancellor to the League seat at Geneva. All Switzerland, he was sure, would be overrun by the German army."

World Court Urged

"The proper goal," he continued, "would be England. But the question of trial would be too big for Great Britain or for any other one country. A court of all the civilized nations of the world should try such a case, and the United States should be a member of such a court."

"And what a magnificent precedent it would be hereafter if any adventurer made war upon a peaceful world. That precedent would say that such a man would be held personally responsible for his crime and would be executed in punishment for it."

"I see no objection to my making the offer as president of the institute. It chimes perfectly with the ideals of Andrew Carnegie. After all, he founded a peace organization, and he firmly believed in an association of the nations with power to enforce peace."

"What a fine thing it would be if such a society of nations could be started with the impetus that would come from the arrest of Hitler and his trial."

Church emphasized that the offer was made in the hope of appealing to youthful adventurers. There is no expectation that it will give rise to any anti-Nazi attempt within Germany.

"And if the proper result is to be accomplished," he said, "then it is

Contract Bridge

Problems in manipulating cards fascinated card enthusiasts long before duplicate and tournament bridge were played. Today's deal is more properly a card problem than normal hand, but a point is brought out which can be used profitably in everyday play. It is a problem of defense and concerns the correct opening lead. East may open one suit against his adversaries' three no-trump contract and hope to set the hand. What is it? Here are East's cards and the bidding he hears:

♠ 763
♥ 104
♦ Q85
♣ AK45

The bidding:
North East South West
1 NT Pass 2 ♣ Pass
2 NT Pass Pass Pass

The complete hand:
♠ KQJ
♥ 532
♦ AK107
♣ Q94

♠ A942
♥ QJ97
♦ J932
♣ 8

♠ 8763
♥ 104
♦ Q85
♣ AK45

East is expected to see from the bidding and his holding of top clubs that the best plan is to lead through South's declared heart suit in an effort to knock out the side entries to the declared club suit. After any other lead declarer should make game easily. After the opening lead of the heart ten the defense should set the contract easily.

necessary to spur men to action immediately. It is not a matter for three months or six months. By that time, unless something intervenes, there will be untold suffering."

The sponsors of the plan have not deposited checks, nor have there been any formal signatures to pledges, Church said. The commitments have all been by word of mouth. But they come from a group well able to supply \$1,000,000 for such a purpose, he explained.

By agreement, he added, no names other than his own are being made public. Church was an outspoken opponent of Germany at the beginning of the last war, in recognition of which King Albert of the Belgians personally gave him the decoration of Commander of the Crown of Belgium, with the citation:

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Troika. Mrs. Helen Hamilton turned on Troika's air cooling and conditioning system on the first warm evening and is watching it like a falcon to see that the temperature is kept just so. The discriminating people who crowd the Troika must have their perfect comfort.

Rainbow Room. The cash register of the Rainbow Room is ringing louder, longer and more frequently than it has since 1936. The end of the rainbow and its pot of gold must be right under the Rainbow handstand.

JACK DEMPSEY may soon be a guest of honor at Burt's Trans-Lux. It's expected that he will come a-circling shortly with Maj. L. E. Thompson, of the New York Trans-Lux Corporation.

BEST ON BESTOR. When Don Bestor, who will arrive in the Metropolitan Room on Friday with his band, was a small boy, he practiced so industriously on the melodeon that the favorite remark in the Bestor family was, "When are you going to give the melodeon a rest?"

He discovered his novelty instrument, the vibraphone, in a funeral parlor. It looks like a piano, but sounds like a combo of celeste, organ, harp and piano. He began his career at a piano in a theater pit, playing interludes when he wasn't on the stage doing character parts in a stock company.

UTTER CONFUSION! That's what happens in the intervals of the "Musical Chairs" dance in the Pull Mail Room. Yes, someone is always on a chair and will go to any lengths to try and get one!

LA MODE. Mayfair's Helen Reilly looks like a plenty in a bolero jacketed formal of dark blue and white print. We like her evening coat of bright red silk, too. . . . Eileen George of the Anchor Room is a walking rainbow in her new iridescent taffeta showing all tones of blue from ciel to peacock. . . . Adele Van of the Lounge Riviera goes in for subtlety in a gown combining a gray lace skirt with a bodice of draped wood-rose crepe. . . . There's dash to that frock of powder blue with extra-wide red suede belt being worn by Peggy Wood of the King Cole Room.

BLUE ROOM BACKGROUNDS. Francis, the "Radium Girl," now starred in the Shoreham Blue Room, studied dancing under Ruth St. Denis and has appeared in more than 20 movies. . . . Starline of the Shoreham and Annapolis dancers, played full back on the Georgia Tech and University of Nevada football teams.



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AROUND AND ABOUT. Sammy Ferro, drummer with Paul Kain's Glen Echo band, used to be a Boy Scout bugler. (Note to Kain. Don't let Ferro get hold of a bugle, please.) . . . Grace Shannon, who played so prettily at the Neptune Room months ago, will open in the Terrace Room of the Hotel New Yorker on May 9. . . . Woods and Bray, Shoreham dance favorites, write to say they've started their fifth season at the Northwood Inn near Detroit. . . . Dick Koons and his Mayflower Lounge orchestra are building up their stamina by doing gym stunts every day. . . . Madge Heister, pretty check girl at the Hi Hat, looks like Eileen Ritter, one of the cruelest of the Earle Roxettes. . . . Maestro Angelo di Bella of the Lido's La Conga Room, is a native of the Argentine, but of Italian ancestry.

BROADCASTING DUFFY. Sher-Zul's Arthur Duffy and his crew are such "natural" for the radio that WOL has brushed off a heavy schedule of broadcasts for the unit. They're on the air five times a week now.

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Denver, Colo.	4.25	4.55
San Francisco, Cal.	4.50	4.80
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*Rates are lower still after 7 P. M. and all day Sunday.

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Italian Army Moves Worry Yugoslavia

Heavy Military Traffic Reported Near Dalmatia

By the Associated Press
Zagreb, Yugoslavia, April 30.—Stories of a stir in Italian military activity near the Yugoslav frontier caused uneasiness tonight in Croatia, Slovenia and especially Dalmatia, despite a reassuring statement from Premier Cvetkovik.

Cvetkovik arrived here from Dalmatia and said the country's internal situation was good and that he was confident it could maintain its neutrality.

Virtual suspension of Italian coal shipments from Germany via Slovenia was attributed in some quarters here to heavy military traffic on Italian railroads leading to the Yugoslav frontier.

Railwaymen coming into the country from Italy said they saw a trainload of tanks being moved. Others said new anti-aircraft defenses were going up at Fiume and Trieste.

The Yugoslav authorities expelled several hundred more German "tourists" and in Slovenia, where there is an important German minority, many persons were arrested for possessing compromising documents.

Large German military concentrations are reported in the Kladanfurt area near the frontier.

Hungary Warns Slovakia
Budapest, April 30 (P).—Hungary warned Slovakia today to keep its hands off "persecuted" Magyars within its new borders and expressed the belief that German-Hungarian friendship outweighs Germany's guarantee of Slovak "independence."

Foreign Minister Csaky read to the upper house of Parliament today a declaration serving notice on Slovakia that she cannot "hide behind the German guarantee" in case Hungarians find it necessary to take up arms for their brothers inside Slovakia.

Taft Addresses Luncheon of U. S. Chamber Delegates

The Taft-for-President boom was spread among the Nation's business leaders yesterday as an unscheduled side attraction to the annual meeting here of the United States Chamber of Commerce.

Ohio businessmen boosting Senator Taft's candidacy took advantage of the presence here of prominent business leaders from all parts of the country to make the Senator acquainted with them at a special luncheon at the Metropolitan Club.

Taft talked on the legislative situation. There was no mention of his Presidential candidacy, those present said.

About 70 were present, it was said. They included Democrats as well as Republicans.

The luncheon was sponsored by Morris Edwards, executive vice president of the Chamber of Commerce of Cincinnati, Ohio, who for many years was on the staff of the United States Chamber here.

Fireboat's Two-Way Radio Approved by Officials in Test



Post Staff Photo

Maj. Patrick H. Tansey, Assistant Engineer Commissioner, putting through a "call for all cars" at the new fire-alarm headquarters control center for the new two-way radio system for the fire department. The equipment is complete but will not be put into service until June 1 when the building in McMillan Park is dedicated. Watching are Capt. H. C. Whitehurst, director of highways, and Fire Chief Stephen T. Porter.

Sending, Receiving Equipment Installed On Vessel for Communication With New Headquarters; Service Begins June 1

Once termed "out of date" by experts, the fireboat Firefighter is now one of the best equipped vessels of its kind afloat, insofar as ship-to-shore communications is concerned.

The new two-way radio communications between the Firefighter and fire alarm headquarters passed tests to the satisfaction of District officials on a run down the Potomac yesterday.

Center of the new radio system is the nearly-completed fire alarm headquarters building in McMillan Park.

The new equipment was inspected and accepted yesterday by Maj. Patrick H. Tansey, assistant engineer commissioner; Capt. H. C. Whitehurst, director of highways; Herbert A. Friede, superintendent of fire alarm system; Fire Chief Stephen T. Porter and Fire Marshal Calvin G. Lauber. The equipment cost \$8,000 to erect and will place outgoing calls over the police radio system.

Receiving and transmitting sets have been installed in the fireboat and automobiles of the fire chief, deputy chief, fire marshal, superintendent of machinery and the two fire alarm service cars. Each of these units will transmit messages which in turn will be picked up by four fixed receivers located at fire alarm headquarters and Nos. 25, 31 and 16 engine companies. Messages from these points will be transmitted to headquarters by telegraph cables. Thus if the fire chief is in the downtown section of the city his call will come in clearer via No. 16 engine company, which is located at

British Ships Shun Mediterranean

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to her growing navy. Despite the opening of trade talks between British Foreign Secretary Viscount Halifax and the Italian ambassador in London this week, there has been manifest a constant souring of diplomatic relations between the two countries.

Although the removal of British ships from the Mediterranean may hurt British commerce more than anybody else's, it also is likely even though peace endures in that quarter, to bring quite a few industrial pains to Italy herself, since part of her coal supply, to mention only one item in her national economy, comes to her in Allied bottoms.

As the British see it—and the French, as well—Italy's controlled press and platform rhetoricians have certainly seemed in recent weeks and in an increasing measure to be preparing the Italian people for a shifting from the status of nonbelligerency to that of a combatant.

Vatican Paper Attacked

Rome, April 30.—As the only dissenting voice in the present anti-Allied campaign, the Osservatore Romano and, indirectly, the Holy See, are strongly attacked by Robert Farinacci in two editorials published by the Regime Fascista today.

He charges that "Since September, 1939, the Osservatore Romano and, therefore, the Holy See, have joined the cause of the Allies," and asks "whether it is not the case of putting out of circulation this newspaper, which is a tool for the enemies of Italy and the evident mouthpiece of the Jews."

Despite the fact that the suggestion comes from an extreme right wing newspaper, there is no doubt that it has caused some preoccupation in Vatican circles, owing to the unmistakable warning it contains.

Meanwhile, the "Spiritual mobilization" of the Italian people against the Allies is in full swing, with every newspaper in the country launching an attack against France.

Italians Are Apprehensive

Copyright by New York Times
Rome, April 30.—Great Britain's decision to divert her Mediterranean traffic through the Cape route was learned by the Italians with surprise and apprehension.

The press campaign, it was pointed out, was no stronger today than it was a week ago and, indeed, it seemed, if anything, to have become less violent.

There was a strong resentment in some quarters because it was thought that the British step would tend to make Italy appear as an aggressor.

Press Suggest British Withdraw From Norway

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ister Chamberlain used recently. "That reminds me of the prophecy that Munich meant 'peace in our time,'" said Sir Archibald, in another reference to Chamberlain.

"Although we shall muddle through to victory in the long run, we shall pay for the feebleness of our political direction by prolongation of the war," he said.

Compared to Mons

The Daily Express, which said the withdrawal from central Norway "would not be so great a disaster as the retreat from Mons in the last war," provided the basis for Sir Archibald's denunciation.

The Times of London had this to say: "Our soldiers in Norway are faced with an uphill task."

"Why was the British counterstroke to the German attack so slow in coming?" Sinclair demanded. He then referred to Churchill's statement that before the German invasion information had been received of large numbers of German transports being assembled in the Baltic.

"Can it be true," Sir Archibald went on, "that in the light of that information," the prime minister "was ordering dispersal of the striking force which the government

had assembled to go to Finland...? "I hope it is not yet too late for craven and irresolute counsel to be suppressed."

The Daily Mail said today Chamberlain's handling of the war threatens "an imminent storm which, if it breaks, will prove the most serious the prime minister has yet faced."

A showdown may come after Chamberlain faces Parliament today, it was said.

"In all parties comment regarding the government was more unfavorable Tuesday night than at any time since the war began," the Daily Mail asserted. "These comments indicate widespread dissatisfaction."

House Cheers Chamberlain

Aside from Sir Archibald's speech, there was little sign of open feeling against the government over the Norwegian situation, although faces were grim and there were some distressed whispers in parliamentary lobbies.

The house even cheered Prime Minister Chamberlain when he said he thought it would not "be in the public interest" to make a statement on the campaign at present and expressed hope that he would have "information" later in the week.

British reports of the "successful" bombing of Fornebu, airport near

Oslo, Norway's German-held capital, and of royal air force activity on the Norwegian coast gave no hint of when Britain's fighting planes—Hurricanes and Spitfires—would be able to lift the deadly burden of air attack from the harassed Allied expeditionary force.

Veterans Plan Party

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Nelson B. Bell About the Showshops

Howard Spring Novel Is Telescoped for Cinema

'My Son, My Son,' Becomes Triangle Romance; Rogers and McCrea Open Today at Keith's; This, That and the Other About the Theater

SUSPICIONS expressed in this space some weeks ago were verified yesterday afternoon at the preview screening of "My Son, My Son."

Having read both Howard Spring's comprehensive and beautifully written novel and Lenore Coffee's 177-page screen adaptation of it, we were fearful that readers of the book would miss a vast number of important ramifications of the story that Miss Coffee was compelled, perforce, to omit from her scenario. They will.

Those who have not read the book, however, will find themselves engrossed in a romantic narrative, principally concerning the love of father and son for the same lovely girl, that has been splendidly cast and impeccably produced by Edward Small for United Artists' release. It will follow "Strange Cargo" on the screen at Loew's Palace Theater. As the camera-drama finally develops, it will be Brian Aherne, Louis Hayward and Madeleine Carroll in whom the spectator will be most interested, with close competition for primary attention being provided by Henry Hull and Laraine Day.

It was a courageous undertaking for Mr. Small to attempt the picturization of so far-flung a tale as Mr. Spring's first novel and he has done as well with it as the cinema's limitations in such matters will permit. Miss Coffee, at least, has been judicious in her selection of the highlights of the story to be filmed—even if several incidents are slightly warped, out of consideration for the Will H. Hays office and for other considerations.

Madeleine Carroll discloses a slight increment in embonpoint—shall we say?—since her last appearance on a local screen, which is highly becoming. It might be well, however, to count the calories from this point on, if romantic leads are what she continues to have in mind.

There was a rumor floating around the screening room yesterday afternoon that Brian Aherne and Laraine Day are visitors in Washington. The tip came from New York, but up to the hour it became necessary to get back on the treadmill, nobody had been able to run them down—"discover them" would be better. No one wants to "run them down" after seeing "My Son, My Son."

Even those who are experiencing their first season of legitimate theater should feel pretty well acquainted with at least four members of the company appearing in "The Return of the Vagabond," currently at the National Theater. Were not George M. Cohan, the author-star-producer of the play, already an enduring symbol of the American theater, he would be remembered for his earlier appearance this season on the same stage as Dr. Brightlight in the late Sidney Howard's posthumous work, "Madam, Will You Walk?" Florenz Ames, the Banker of the current piece, also was in the Howard play and McKay Morris, The Governor, was with Ethel Barrymore in "Farm of Three Echoes." But Ed McNamara is the one. He was here first this season as the last-act police captain in Clare Booth Luce's "Margin for Error," then as the judge in "Madam, Will You Walk?" and now again as The Sheriff in "Vagabond." Mr. McNamara, former Jersey policeman, seems to have a tough time trying to get away from the law. Funny, too, since he toured for six years as a singer with the late Mme. Ernestine Schumann-Heink.

An innovation in the form of a "boarding-house night," at the Civic Theater's production of "Al Mrs. Beams," has been scheduled for next Tuesday, May 7. On that evening, at the Wardman Park Theater, boarding-house residents of the Capital will be enabled to see this hilarious English comedy hit at greatly reduced prices. Mrs. Beams, it seems, runs a boarding-house somewhere over there on the other side.

It is worth noting that Ginger Rogers and Joel McCrea open in "The Primrose Path" on the screen at RKO-Keith's Theater today—after having clicked solidly in all the other cities where they have been seen in this subject. Also on the bill will be a new filmed session of the popular radio feature, "Information Please" and Disney's latest "Tugboat Mickey" cartoon comedy.

Black-haired Cherie May, death-defying "stunt" star of the old silent film days, says it's the vigorous life that keeps one young—according to what seems to be an authentic advance report. Cherie should know. Years ago, she was the "double" for Pearl White in those hair-raising serials. She must have "kept her age" fairly well, since she is cast as a vamp in "Primrose Path," coming into RKO-Keith's.

Something-in-a-Name Note

The primrose path seems to be what Miss May has been traveling.

In Hollywood

With Hedda Hopper

Hollywood, April 30.

Thomas E. Dewey's visit to Hollywood gained him many friends. Some jibes about his extreme youth might be deflected if he'd name in advance a potential Cabinet of mature, experienced business men. A prominent California Democrat told me



HOPPER

President Roosevelt undoubtedly will be nominated for a third term—will make a flying trip to the convention, turn down the nomination, and suggest Attorney General Robert H. Jackson, then become Secretary of the Navy—which would make him the Churchill of America if we should get into the World War.

On May 9, Gracie Allen leaves on a special train for Omaha. En route, Gracie will speak from the platform at every stop. George Burns, her campaign manager, is taking along hunting dogs to keep the squirrels from attacking Gracie.

Screen writer Bartlett Cormack says the trouble with Boy Meets Girl in pictures is that the same boy meets too many girls, due to shortage of leading men. Every year the talent boys unearth tender little packages like Mary Martin, India Dornell, Brenda Joyce, Brenda Marshall and Lana Turner, but they never seem to find new Gables, Coopers, Brenns, or

Taylor's—yet we've got oodles of them in town.

When Lana was picked up by that talent scout in a soda fountain, it's ten to one the scout never looked at the soda jerk. That's natural. So why not female talent scouts looking over waiters, life guards, football players, and Good Humor men?

Let the men continue picking girls. But give the girls a chance to pick the boys. Do I hear anybody offering me the job?

To entertain the 75 players and crew on "Arizona" in Tucson, Wes Ruggles thought up a new form of entertainment. He hired himself a band, mounted his people on horseback, and they did the Virginia Reel and barn dances—not in a barn, but in the wide-open spaces—a test of horsemanship if ever I heard of one.

Twentieth Century has a comer in Bob Sterling, who just finished remaking "Bad Girl." He's a bit of all right.

Leith Steyens, music maestro of "Big Town," gets big recognition. Beginning May 18, he'll commute between Hollywood and Detroit, where he takes over the baton for the Ford Symphony Hour.

Poor Ann Southern, who looks pretty clothes—and who doesn't—could spend only \$5.81 on her costumes for "Goldrush Maize."

Judy Garland and Ann Rutherford, if they can get away, want to join Charles Coburn and play a week for his Mohawk Festival company.

Rolling the Cigarette Must Be the Hardest Job!



JACK BENNY

demonstrating the arduous life of a cowhand, in Paramount's "Buck Benny Rides Again," soon to be seen on a local screen. "Buck" Benny is surrounded (left to right) by Dolly Thon, Rita Roper, Betty Olds and Jean Guest, all young Western toughies of the famed Abbott Dancers

'Harvest' Bows At Little in Gala Benefit

French Film Adapted By Marcel Pagnol From Giono's Novel

By Richard L. Coe

An exultant and buoyant film, "Harvest," has the uncanny force in these shameful days of making one proud of life, rejoice in its living. Marcel Pagnol's adaptation of Jean Giono's novel opened its engagement last night at the Little Theater, sponsored in a benefit performance by the American Association of French Teachers and before an audience which included the French Ambassador and many members of the official set.

"Harvest" tells of the good earth, man's responsibility to it and the rewards which an understanding nature grants his patience. It is an astonishingly simple story to yield so stirring an impact. The picture of decay and rebirth makes it a curious sequel to "The Grapes of Wrath," for it faces with enthusiastic optimism the hopeless land the Joads left behind them.

Aubagnac once was a thriving village on the rich soil of Provence. Now it is deserted by its people. Through the years the wheat has gradually failed until but one man remains, perplexed and unhappy in his lone squalidly yet unable to tear himself from all that he has known.

Tells of Simple Peasants

On their weary way a knife-grinder and his helper push their cumbersome load from town to town. The knife-grinder is a shrewdly foolish peasant. His helper is a tired, unhappy woman. By chance she saves the life of the lonely resident of Aubagnac. "But why do you live here?" she asked and then she tells her of his hope to make the grain grow again at Aubagnac. A wife could inspire him to bring it back. Thinking of her aimless days with the horse-faced knife-grinder, the woman agrees to help him.

It is in their efforts to bring back the soil, to kill the bestial habits of loneliness and to rekindle life in the village that these two French peasants make one realize that there is a universal struggle to enjoy the fruits of living. One glories with them in their success.

Voted the best foreign film of the past year by the New York film critics, "Harvest" has triumphed over its precarious entry into this country when it was condemned by the New York Board of Censors because there was no definite statement that the hardworking couple was married. Reversed by the parent Board of Regents, this ridiculous ruling prompted the Times' Mr. Crier to remark that the action of the censors "becomes a social error, an unpardonable gaucherie, like a belch during a harp solo."

Scored by Honogger

For one can imagine no more moral tale than this story of the land and its bounties. It is a story of mutual trust and respect, of reverence for other people and respect for our human relationships. A striking scene by Arthur Honogger and rustic scenes that are at once realistic and romantic are of immense importance in maintaining the dignity of its thesis.

Despite its lofty declaration, "Harvest" is rich in simple humor. Fernandel, whom one expects to neighbor rather than talk, demands his share of "Gedemus" as the knife-grinder and grins sheepishly over his bargain to gain a donkey and harness to replace the woman he has lost. The joy in being busy lights up the face of Orane Demazis, as the wife, and the change in Gabriel Gabrio from his uncouth ways to his happy pride forms a character as memorable as it is universal.

"Harvest," then, is an enthralling rediscovery of the joys of simple living and belongs on the most exclusive "must" lists.

Fifth With Joan

Oscar O'Shea won his fifth role in a Joan Crawford starring picture when he was assigned to a part in "Susan and God," but for the first time he didn't get in a scene with Miss Crawford. His scenes were all with Frederic March.

The New Yorker

By Leonard Lyons

NEW YORK, April 30.

CORDELL HULL: One of the most important optical manufacturing companies in America is being threatened with indictment under the Espionage Act—for having delivered to German manufacturers secret information concerning the work it has been doing for the United States Army . . . William F. Green: The strike at the Brass Rail—the longest strike in the history of Broadway—is in the process of settlement. Mayor LaGuardia is intervening, to effect an agreement.

JEREMIAH T. MAHONEY: There'll be more judicial work for you in the Police Department trials. A new batch—one Inspector, a few Captains and more than 20 Lieutenants—will be up before the Police Commissioner, concerning evidence unearthed by the Amen investigation.

JIM FARLEY: Emil Hurja, who was your statistician in the '36 campaign, and who now is working for Ben Smith, came to Washington where he saw Leon Henderson, the SEC Commissioner. "I heard two stories about you in Milwaukee," said Hurja. "I heard that you're a Presidential possibility for 1944—and that you're against Big Business." "Don't worry," Henderson assured him, "because one of 'em isn't true."

JOHN D. M. HAMILTON: Sam Boston now is receiving offers to bet even money that you'll win the nomination . . . Ann Corio: Harvey D. Gibson conferred with Minsky, who proposed to install a Girlieque show in one of the abandoned buildings at the Fair Grounds. Gibson was amenable to the deal—but someone at City Hall killed it by refusing to permit the use of the name Minsky in advertising the show . . . John Golden: Your star, Gertrude Lawrence, is making 30-minute recordings, sent via Clipper to the BBC, for shortwave broadcasts to the men in the trenches. Lily Pons and Gladys Swarthout also are making these recordings.

HOWARD HUGHES: Max Constant, who flew from California to New York last week, used Jacqueline Cochran's new \$175,000 plane. Constant could have made the flight non-stop, but preferred to make 3 stops so that he thereby would not interfere with Miss Cochran's plan to crack the non-stop trans-continental record with this same plane . . . Constant's unofficial time for the flight was 7½ hours.

GEORGE SCALISE: In prosecuting the case against you, Dewey's office is pursuing the same tactics employed so successfully in the Jimmy Hines-Davis-Weinberg case. That's why an attempt will be made for Izzy Schwartz, your aide who will be a State's witness—to see you privately this week . . . Billie Burke: George Jessel attended the Ziegfeld Club dinner Saturday night, and heard the tender speeches about your late husband. "I knew Ziggy very well, too," George orated later. "So well, that I sat with him and I. Miller, the shoe man, after the opening of the Follies of 1922—and there saw Ziggy pay the shoe bill for the Follies of 1907."

DRAMATISTS' GUILD: Jim Thurber, co-author of "The Male Animal," is assuring all new playwrights that it's easier to write a play than write a book . . . "In a book you start off with 12 pages describing the glowing Ohio sunset, tinting the sky beyond the foothills," Thurber shrugs. "Aline Bernstein, the stage designer, does all that for you—with one simple set. Then, in a book, you devote paragraph after paragraph to describing how the hero crossed the room, with passion smoldering in his eyes and restraint in his soul. Herman Shumlin, the director, takes care of that for you. All a playwright really does is get an idea—and just fill in the dialogue."

WILL HAYS: The Government's anti-trust action against the major film companies almost reached a settlement. But the Independent Theater Owners insist upon one item—that the companies divest themselves of their ownership of theaters. Because no agreement can be reached on this the prosecution is proceeding . . .

W. C. FIELDS: Leo McCarey refused to believe the published announcement that you're writing a book. He says that when shooting your picture, your lines were written on a large blackboard. And a sample line—"Can this be you?"—turned out to be 4 minutes of monologue . . . Elaine Barrie: "Is it true that you're willing to quit 'My Dear Children,' but only on condition that Doris Dudley doesn't get the role?"

Stars Learn Latin By 'Wax Method'

The recording department at Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer studios passed out records of the famous university on records of "Gaudemus Igitur," sung in Latin and with every word pronounced correctly and clearly.

It was a new method, devised by Frank Borzage, to save time on an actual "take" on the set. Players were given records from which to learn the words and the tune. Among the "students" were the principals, including Margaret Sullivan, James Stewart, Robert Young, Frank Morgan and Irene Rich.

"Gaudemus Igitur" plays an important part in one of the early sequences of "The Mortal Storm," dramatic story of Germany during the early days of the Hitler regime.

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Close-Ups and Long-Shots Of the Motion Picture Scene

Hollywood, April 30 (MS).—Nearly fell over from surprise the other day when someone said that Joel McCrea was one of the richest actors in Hollywood.

On second thought, I don't know why I should be so surprised, since Joel has been in the top salary brackets for years and hardly has a day off between pictures. His name, during the past year, has become almost as important in Westerns as Gary Cooper's, so no wonder RKO is paying him for "Valley of the Sun," the Clarence Buddington Kelland yarn which Harry Edington just purchased.

I understand that Bob Sisk, who will produce, is so sure Joel's name will be on the dotted line before the end of the week that he is already planning the picture around him—and you can be sure there will be plenty of riding and typical Western carryings-on, because McCrea can handle a horse just like a professional.

James Roosevelt, I'm reliably informed, has got himself a pot of gold backing to film "Pot of Gold," the sensational radio feature, which will get under way no later than August 1. Talked with young Mr. R. on the telephone today and he tells me that the script is excellent. He will use the many human interest incidents that occurred on the radio of the many people who had sudden fortunes dropped in their laps and tell what they did with the money. Jules Stein, who negotiated the deal for Roosevelt, is bringing Horace Heidt and his orchestra to Hollywood for the picture, which should get Jimmy off to a flying start as a producer. His second picture will be "Martin Eden," the Jack London opus.

Today Mary Astor celebrated her twentieth anniversary as a movie actress. She is playing a part in "Brigham Young" now, and I couldn't help but recall when Mary first came into the movies. She will tell you that I gave her her name. I was called into the Jesse Lasky office, of the old Famous Players studio, and there was this lovely youngster, who was introduced to me as Lucille Langhanke. "What do you think of her?" Jesse asked me. "I think she is wonderful—all but her name." "Well, how about Pauline Parsons?" "Too long for the marquee," I said.

Reaching for High C?



HILDEGARDE

one of the featured artists in Harry Anger's new stage revue, coming up at the Earle Theater on Friday of this week

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Film Table

Palace—"Strange Cargo," at 11:15 a. m., 1:45, 4:25, 6:55 and 9:25 p. m.

Earle—"The Doctor Takes a Wife," at 11 a. m., 1:35, 4:20, 7:10 and 10 p. m. Stage shows at 12:45, 3:25, 6:15 and 9:05 p. m.

Loew's Capital—"Johnny Apollo," at 10:45 a. m., 1:40, 4:25, 7:10 and 10:05 p. m. Sullivan's "Standfast Cavalade," at 12:45, 3:20, 6:15 and 9:10 p. m.

Metropolitan—"Seventeen," at 11 a. m., 1:10, 3:30, 5:20, 7:30 and 9:40 p. m.

RKO-Keith's—"Primrose Path," at 11:15 a. m., 1:25, 3:25, 5:45 and 8:45 p. m.

Columbia—"The Grapes of Wrath," at 11:15 a. m., 1:25, 4:25, 6:55 and 9:45 p. m.

Little—"Harvest," at 11 a. m., 12:45, 2:30, 4:15, 6, 7:50 and 9:40 p. m.

Belasco—"Ecstasy," at 11 a. m., 12:30, 2, 3:30, 5, 6:40, 8:10 and 9:45 p. m.

Trans-Lux-Newseels and Shorts, at 10 and 11:45 a. m., 12:30, 1:45, 2, 4:15 5:30, 6:45, 8, 9:15 and 10:45 p. m.

Ambassador—"The Doctor Takes a Wife," at 1, 3:10, 5:05, 7:20 and 9:40 p. m.

Thvill—"Virginia City," at 1:35, 4:15, 6:50 and 9:40 p. m.

Uptown—"Northwest Passage," at 1:30, 4:10, 6:50 and 9:30 p. m.

Calvert—"Virginia City," at 2:10, 4:35, 7 and 9:25 p. m.

Opera Air—"First Love," at 8:10 and 10:20 p. m.

Mother Maureen

Maureen O'Sullivan arrived on the "Pride and Prejudice" set recently in the seventh heaven of joy. When she got home the night before, her 8-month-old baby greeted her with "Mama," the first the baby has spoken.

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Russia Opposes British Trade Rationing Plan

Britain Attempts To Allay U. S. Fears Caused by Blockade

By the Associated Press
London, April 30.—Britain sought tonight to allay United States concern over the disruption of trade caused by the Allied blockade of Germany while British efforts to plug the trade routes to Germany through Russia met firm Soviet objections to a proposed rationing system.

Speaking at an American Chamber of Commerce luncheon before reporting in the House of Commons on the Allied contraband control, Ronald H. Cross, minister directing the British blockade, appealed for American "understanding" of economic warfare.

Cross said the blockade weapon would shorten the war in which "we are fighting for our lives," and that Britain hopes it "will not in the long run be to the economic disadvantage of the United States."

One "serious" leak in the blockade, Cross said, is the passage of copper, rubber, tin and other materials through Vladivostok, Russian Pacific port. He declared the United States "has been a source of much of these new materials, and we wonder sometimes how far it is generally realized in your country that important supplies of key war materials have reached Germany in this way."

Directly bearing on the Vladivostok leak in the blockade fence are the British-Russian negotiations looking toward a trade agreement. Soviet sources assert that they see no insurmountable obstacles to improved Anglo-Russian commercial relations.

Russia's reply to British offers for a trade agreement made three points.

Russia will guarantee that no imports from Britain or the Empire will be re-exported to Germany.

Russia regards exports of her own goods to Germany as a private matter.

The Soviet similarly regards as its own business what it imports from the United States or other countries.

The British are seeking to assure that imports of various neutrals won't be re-exported to Germany. Thence the rationing system is included in many agreements, and it limits neutrals to their bare needs, based on past imports.

Charles O. Doten Funeral to Be Held Tomorrow

Services will be held tomorrow for Charles Otis Doten, 74, of 324 Greenwood avenue, Takoma Park, who died Monday.

A retired employee of the Government Printing Office, where he had served for 28 years, Mr. Doten was born in Camden, N. Y., and for the past 50 years resided in Washington and Takoma Park. He was a member of the Masonic order and the Eastern Star, Typographical Union, Washington Light Infantry and Trinity Episcopal Church of Takoma Park.

Surviving are his wife, Hannah; a son, James B., of Takoma Park; and a sister, Mrs. Horace W. Orr, of Detroit. The funeral will be held at the Hines Funeral Home, 2901 Fourteenth street northwest, at 1:30 p. m., with burial in Cedar Hill Cemetery.

Van Wyck to Head North American Light

New York, April 30 (AP).—Allen van Wyck was elected president of North American Light & Power Co., a subsidiary of the North American Co., by directors today. Van Wyck, formerly senior vice president of companies controlled by North American Light & Power, has also been elected president of Illinois-Iowa Power Co.

Defend Principal's Stand on Hitler



Associated Press Wirephoto
These striking students of Lake Worth (Tex.) High School paraded in a holiday mood yesterday in protest against the dismissal of their principal, V. E. Ramsey. All but three of the school's 78 students walked out, demanding that Ramsey be retained. Those three complained that Ramsey made "embarrassing" remarks about Adolf Hitler's plan for repopulating Germany regardless of marital status. The principal denied improper remarks and said his mention of Hitler's program was to emphasize the high ethical and moral standards in the United States.

Keys to Norway Theirs, Nazis Say

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passed the damaged bridges that had stopped the previous advance from that direction, it may be assumed that they participated in the battle.

The report of the German victory comes so far only from German sources but they meet no genuine denials, and in neutral quarters are accepted as true. According to these reports Støren was taken during last night and Dombås at midday. This left the question open as to whether the Allied forces that had occupied Støren and the railroad line to Dombås had been able to escape.

According to Berlin reports German troops advancing through Støren from the north had reached Opdal today, but from Opdal leads a mountain road to Sunndal, where Allied forces were reported to have landed with tanks, artillery and other material. It may be assumed, therefore, that the Allied forces from Støren are falling back along that road.

But considerable Allied troops were also concentrated at Elverum, from where heavy fighting was reported during the night. The fate of these Allied troops is still unknown.

Thus the daring German attempt to scale the snowy mountain passes with tanks and armored cars undertaken several days ago has proved a complete success. In fact, the action that decided the battle appears to have been the dash through the Tysse-Ulsberg Pass, which is easier than the Faldal Pass, but difficult enough at this time of the year.

At the same time, the German troops in Trondheim, which have been steadily reinforced by air, are already strong enough not only to join in the battle to the south, but also to attack the French and Norwegian lines of Lake Snasa.

This offensive has been undertaken despite the melting snow, which makes all roads for tanks and military artillery difficult, and the battle is now reported under way at the southern tip of Lake Snasa.

According to Norwegian reports all German attacks have been beaten off, and the Allies have

maintained their position here.

At Narvik, on the other hand, the situation is reported to be growing critical for the German forces. According to reports from Norwegian-Swedish border points, 134 Norwegian soldiers taken prisoner have reached Sweden in a half-starved condition, and reported that they had been released by the Germans because of the desperate food shortage in Narvik. The same story is also told by half-starved civilian refugees, who insist that the Germans cannot hold out for more than another week.

German troops in Narvik, their artillery smashed, were reported today to be clinging to shore-line machine-gun nests under heavy bombardment from British naval forces. Advances from Riksgården, Swedish border station, said that the Germans had lost all their mountain artillery positions, and that a German battery in a Narvik churchyard had been destroyed by the British guns. A mortuary chapel also was smashed.

Also the Norwegian fortress of Hegra is still continuing its heroic defense—a thorn in the German side at Trondheim.

Another sea battle in the Skagerrak is reported from Lysekil in Sweden. According to observers from the Swedish shore naval and air activity in the Skagerrak is taking place almost every day, and a particularly heavy cannonade punctuated by flashes of gun fire, was observed north of Skagen yesterday, lasting from 3 to 10 p. m. It appears a convoy of 12 German ships had been attacked and scattered, though the action was too far out at sea for accurate observation. Despite the daily attacks and the Allied mines, however, the Germans are apparently able to supply their forces in Norway with all they need.

British Successes Reported

Stockholm (Wednesday), May 1 (AP).—British troops in a wide and swift flanking movement drove German troops out of Roros, key rail center of the Gaul-Oster valleys, Allied sources in Stockholm asserted today, although all neutral and German reports indicated such an action would be highly improbable.

Allied Strategy Questioned By the French

Press Wonders If Troops Should Quit Trondheim

By P. J. Philip

Dispatched by New York Times

Paris, April 30.—The question is being discussed here tonight whether it is wiser to try to defend the Trondheim line in Norway and seek eventually to liberate southern Norway or to concentrate on holding Narvik and cutting Germany's ore supplies from that port.

The former, it is considered, is certain to be a costly and possibly a risky operation. The latter, it is believed, can be done if plane bases can be established, would be relatively easy, and in the long run effective.

The issue is put this way by Lucien Pomeroy in today's Figaro: Is the Norwegian expedition to be a repetition of Saloniki or of the Dardanelles? In the last war the Saloniki expedition was one of the decisive moves. The attempt to land on Gallipoli and force the Dardanelles was extremely costly and ended in failure.

There is a natural tendency to prefer, at least until it is shown whether the Germans can keep their troops in Norway reinforced and supplied, to try to hold the Trondheim line. To abandon the effort would seem, too, like abandoning the Norwegians.

On the other hand, the operation is admittedly difficult and even from the Norwegian point of view perhaps undesirable as it would mean active war in the most densely populated parts of the country with much suffering to the civilian population.

The alternative course, which is strongly supported, is that the Allies should be content to hold Narvik and cut off the main supplies of iron ore to Germany.

It is calculated that without the Norwegian port it will be impossible, for a long time at least, for Germany to obtain through Sweden anything like sufficient quantities of ore for her wartime needs. These needs are estimated at 8,000,000 tons a year which means 20,000 tons a day, or 100 trains of 30 cars. The existing railroads through Sweden are insufficient to meet such a demand and the construction of additional railway lines would, at least, take a long time.

Germans Claim Great Victory

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tioned for some days, and is evidently meeting difficulties.

Moreover, although the Germans claim now to hold Støren, and to have advanced down the Støren-Dombås railway to Opdal, they apparently do not hold the line between Opdal and Dombås.

The contact of northern and southern forces seems to have been effected only across difficult mountain roads between Tysse, on the railway south of Roros, and Støren, a route that offers little hope of usefulness as a supply or troop line.

Until the Germans are able to push from Roros to Støren, or from Dombås to Opdal, they will not have complete rail connections.

However, large scale reinforcements have recently been sent to Oslo, and are ready to be rushed to Dombås quickly, the Germans say. Although the Oslo-Dombås Railway is believed to have been badly damaged with some 700 bridges blown up by retreating Norwegian and British troops, engineers are at work on these and expectations here are that the line will shortly be ready for use.

Whether the German forces now at Dombås will immediately drive westward in an effort to dislodge the Allies from their landing base at Andalsnes, or whether they will await effecting of contact between Dombås and Opdal remains to be seen.

What interests neutral quarters in Berlin the most about the new situation created by the supposed securing of the Reich's northern flank is, however, what will come next. Belief persists here that before the final decisive action against

Nazi Bombs Rake Allied Norse Base

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French officers and soldiers.

A French soldier, coming out of an air raid shelter after yesterday's raids, said:

"We wish our people would send us some planes."

A British Tommy added: "Blimey! They fly over us here as if they were over their own air field."

Formosa, Norway (About 20 Miles East of Namsos), April 30 (AP). Marshal Goering's aerial circus ranged the Norwegian countryside from the ocean to the Swedish border in this northern war front today, bombing Allied communications, one truck train filled with Swedish volunteers and reportedly machine-gunned a Red Cross ambulance train.

While activity in the air continued undiminished a death-like hush settled over the land operations, indicating, perhaps, the calm before the storm of a major offensive.

In the lower part of Namsos every house is razed, with huge holes showing where German bombs hit.

One bomb crater in the center square of the lower section measured 30 feet across.

Other damage apparently was caused by incendiary bombs. The ruins were charred and bricks were well smoked.

From Namsos the Germans swarmed over Greng, 30 miles to the east, where bombers and machine-guns alternated in the attacks.

Flying into the Søndala mountains, the attacker paid a brief visit to Formosa, without any shooting; then they dived over the trail that leads from Gaddede, on the Swedish frontier, and machine-gunned the Swedish-filled trucks.

A Red Cross ambulance, one of 25 being brought into Norway by British Quakers, was raked with machine-guns a short distance up the road. Both attacks, however, failed to cause any casualties.

From the ambulance train the attackers turned to a seven-truck supply convoy en route from Sweden. The trucks were bringing in the first food supply from the outside for the residents of this community on Lake Snasa.

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Bringing Into Focus Some of Our Town's Activities . . .



Swann Studio Photo.

Essaying Safety—Four pretty Western High School girls, entrants in a traffic safety essay contest sponsored by the Washington Automotive Trade Association, conferred on safety problems yesterday with Police Superintendent Ernest W. Brown. Left to right—Coralice Klomparons, Mary Conklin, Bertha Mathews, Kitty Farrell, president of the Western Traffic Club, and Maj. Brown. The contest, dealing with both pedestrian and motor vehicle safety, closes today.



Savory Dish?—Well, it attracted the attention of the First Lady as she passed through the kitchen of the Girl Scouts' Little House yesterday before having lunch. Scouts are (left to right) Sarah Donaldson, who prepared scalloped chicken; Marian Fadely (front), who fixed baked stuffed tomatoes; Virginia Steele (rear), who baked rolls, and Betty Rosser, who prepared buttered peas. It was as good as it sounds.



Associated Press Photo

'Build America!'—W. Gibson Carey (center), president of the United States Chamber of Commerce, sounded the slogan, "Build America!" and gave as the Nation's great need sound leadership in government at yesterday's session of the chamber's forty-eighth annual convention. He is shown with two other speakers, Charles E. Wilson (left), president of the General Electric Co., who was not advised of the sudden death of his mother until after he had spoken, and Gov. Raymond E. Baldwin of Connecticut. At right is Dr. Peter Marshall, pastor of the New York Avenue Presbyterian Church, who gave the invocation.



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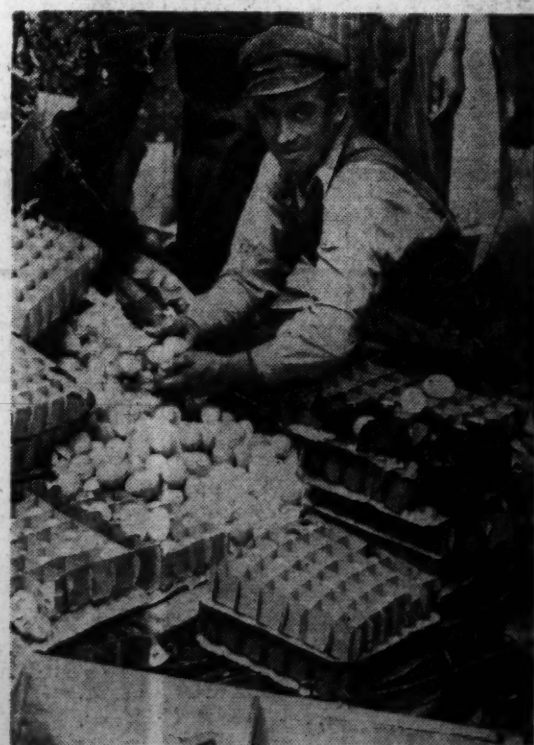
'Egg-Beater'—No apple cart upset yesterday in Arlington, Va., but this egg truck did. Driver Avis Armentrout, en route from Harrisonburg, Va., ran into a ditch on Columbia pike, near South Lynn street, as he swerved to avoid colliding with a bus. What resulted was (see below).



They Want Walter—Betty Fleishell, Sue Zook and Doris Lundquist (at left) leave no doubt as to who they want to be their Representative in Congress. They were pictured at the Walter Johnson-for-Congress rally in the Bethesda (Md.) elementary school. At right—"Big Train" Johnson (right) shown with John R. Reeves, president of the first Walter Johnson-for-Congress Club, accepts a sandwich from Mrs. William A. Reuterman, rally chairman.



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... Scrambled Eggs!

Driver Armentrout didn't know when he left Harrisonburg that his eggs would be scrambled before reaching Washington.

Discord Marks Employment Week Opening

C. I. O. Aide Contradicts McNutt's Figures
On Job Placements

A week of special effort by the Federal Government to find jobs for unemployed workers, especially those over 40, opens today in an accompaniment of controversial arguments on the status of the unemployment problem.

Designated as National Employment Week by proclamation of President Roosevelt, the period will be marked by observance May 5 of National Employment Sunday.

The President, in his proclamation, urged all churches, civic organizations, chambers of commerce, boards of trade, veterans' organizations, industry, labor, public-spirited citizens, radio and the press to observe the week so that jobs may be created for the jobless, especially those in middle life.

Federal Security Administrator Paul V. McNutt yesterday called on all State directors of the Employment Service—a nationwide network of 1,600 offices—to double their efforts in the spirit of National Employment Week.

McNutt announced also that placements in private employment during March by public employment agencies were greater than in the same month of any other year.

Placements with private employers in March were 19 per cent higher than for March, 1939, McNutt reported, and some 90 per cent of the total of 230,000 placements were in private industry.

Meanwhile, the Congress of Industrial Organizations, through its unemployment director, Ralph Hetzel, Jr., greeted the week, but declared it "might with better grace be designated by an end of WPA cuts and by stopping the emasculation of the National Labor Relations and Wage-Hour Acts."

Hetzel asserted it is "ironic" that National Employment Week "should be celebrated by the firing of 200,000 workers from WPA rolls in May."

Contradicting McNutt's announcement of high job placements, Hetzel said for the C. I. O. that "employment in private industry is increasing less than usual this season," and he reiterated an often-made C. I. O. suggestion, that a national conference of labor, industry and government be called to determine means to put the unemployed back to work.

Linked to this problem, the People's Lobby, Inc., announced yesterday a luncheon discussion of "How to End Unemployment," to be held Saturday in the auditorium lounge of the National Press Club at 12:45 o'clock. Speakers will be Representative John M. Coffee (Democrat, of Washington); Dr. Harry W. Laidler, director of the League for Industrial Democracy; and Hetzel.

Officers of the American Legion yesterday called on the District Commissioners who also issued a proclamation on National Employment Week. The group was led by William T. Slattery, commander.

Church Workers League Elects Miss Dysinger

Miss Frances Dysinger, executive secretary of the Lutheran Inner Mission Society of Washington, was elected president of the Church Social Workers League of Washington yesterday.

Dr. A. P. Pendle, of India, spoke on the social service program of the National Congress in that country and of Gandhi's work in attempting to improve the lot of the people. The luncheon meeting, attended by approximately 40 persons, was held at the headquarters of the Washington Federation of Churches.

Mrs. Ida Curry, social worker of Calvary Baptist Church, was elected vice president of the league. Mrs. Leola Bannister, of John Wesley A. M. E. Zion Church, secretary; Miss Ellen deGausse, of St. John's Episcopal Church, Georgetown, treasurer.

Aldrich Suggests Wider Federal Reserve Power

New York, April 30 (AP)—Winthrop W. Aldrich, chairman of the Chase National Bank, suggested today additional power for the Federal Reserve Board to control credit expansion.

"Under adequate safeguards," he held, the reserve system's board of governors might be empowered to exercise wider discretion than now allowed by the Federal banking laws to make the reserve requirements of member banks.

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Sitting One Out at the Naval Hospital Dance



Post Staff Photo

The Naval Hospital gave its dance last night at the Wardman Park Hotel. Taking it easy between dances are (left to right) Mrs. W. M. Christensen, Mr. Christensen, of 3707 Nichols avenue southeast; Rose Hefski and Mrs. Marion Pierce, both of 723 Fourth street southeast; Dorothy Pierce, of 3864 Halley terrace southeast, and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Winland, of 2431 E street northwest.

Dr. Stanley's Funeral Set For Tomorrow

Was Gastro-Intestinal Specialist, Commissioner For D. C. Boy Scouts

Funeral services for Dr. Arthur Camp Stanley, who died yesterday at his home, 2370 Massachusetts avenue northwest, will be tomorrow at 10 a. m. at Epiphany Church.

The Rev. Dr. Zeburny Phillips, rector, will officiate at services for the physician who died after an illness of more than two months. Dr. Stanley will be buried in Arlington Cemetery.

Dr. Stanley's professional life was devoted to specialization in gastro-intestinal diseases, his private life to activities for youth. Almost as well known for his work for the Boy Scouts of America as for his writings and research on internal medicine, Dr. Stanley was Scout commissioner for the District and held the national Scout organization's highest award—the Silver Beaver.

Born October 18, 1883, in Milwaukee, Dr. Stanley saw service with the Navy in the World War, with the rank of lieutenant commander, and then became associated with Dr. William Gerry Morgan, of this city.

Dr. Stanley was a graduate of Yale University and George Washington Medical School, a fellow of the American College of Surgeons and a member of local and national medical societies. He was deputy governor of the Society of Colonial Wars.

He leaves his wife, the former Alice Willard Lloyd, and four children, John Boyd Stanley, Arthur Camp Stanley, Jr., Caleb Willard Stanley and Katherine Willard Stanley; two sisters, Mrs. Edward Beck and Mrs. Stanley Huntington, and a brother, Dr. William S. Stanley, of Milwaukee.

5 Women, 6 Men Indicted For Dope Peddling in D. C.

Defendants Arrested by U. S. Agents Who Posed as Addicts; Grand Jury Hands Up 57 Indictments to Court

Six men and five women were indicted on charges of dope peddling by the District grand jury yesterday.

The defendants were arrested after several weeks of undercover investigation, in which Federal agents who posed as addicts reported they had made about a dozen purchases of narcotics.

Those accused were Lucille E. Jackson, 35, colored; George Jackson, 30, colored; Howard Ferguson, 45, John Smith, 26, colored; Albert Harris, 28, colored; Julia Turner, 28, colored; Thelma Mathews (alias Little Penny), 22, colored; Viola Simms, 36, colored; David Brenner, 34, Patrick O'Day, 35, and Edward B. Daniels, 32.

William A. Beasley, 38, was accused of stealing half a dozen nickel music boxes from restaurants where they were operated by a company which succeeded him in the business here.

The indictments were among 57 presented before Justice F. Dickinson Letts yesterday.

First degree murder—George Lee Pickett, colored, for the death of Lawrence D. Smith, 27, colored, in a fight at 1202 Twenty-third street northwest on April 1.

Unlawful use of automatic weapons—Joseph F. O'Neal, 27, colored; Robert J. Stokes, 20, colored; James McDonald, 23, colored.

Grand larceny—Rhosier T. Brown, 28, colored; Russell A. Stroma, 33; Orelia Brown, 44; William A. Beasley, 38.

Housebreaking and larceny—William A. Beasley, 38; Edward E. Ray, Jr., 23, colored; Walter Lambert, 28 (several indictments); William E. Brown, 27; Clinton E. Fisher, 40; William McDonald, 41, colored; James Edward Jones, 30, colored.

Housebreaking—Rosa E. Ford, 18, colored; Frank H. Williams, 18, colored; William A. Beasley, 38.

Assault with intent to rob and intent to kill—James Edward Jones, 30, colored; Robert J. Stokes, 20, colored; James McDonald, 23, colored.

21 U. S. Seamen Held in Egypt

San Francisco, April 30 (AP)—Twenty-one American seamen of the Matson Navigation Co. steamer Ewa were arrested by British authorities at Port Said, Egypt, when they refused to obey their captain, the company announced tonight.

The seamen were paid off and 17 of them were ordered deported to the United States, said Hugh Gallagher, Matson operations manager.

Four of the seamen were held in the port detention home where they have begun a hunger strike, Gallagher said. The American consul was arranging transportation for the returning men. It was reported the British intervened because of labor trouble arising from wage demands.

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"Now part-time lubrication," explained the garage man, "is from oil-film draining down every chance, like a liquid. But this Germ Processed oil, besides its swell oil-film, gives OIL-PLATING, which is up through your engine nights and days, every minute, full-time."

"Never drains down, not even parked?" the customer quizzed.

"Right! That's what's special about Germ Processed oil. It's made to OIL-PLATE lubricant on engine parts in a regular close partnership—this way"—and grunting forcibly the garage man made his fingers interlock.

The customer allowed that OIL-PLATING must be as drain-proof

as chromium-plating, and he added, "So all I've heard about starting up with the oil drained down, wouldn't be a worry any more with the engine's insides OIL-PLATED?"

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AMBASSADOR 14th & Col. St. N.E. 10:00, 1:00, 3:00, 5:00, 7:00, 9:00. *Loisette Young-Ray* in *"The Bachelor's Wife"*. Also *"The Bachelor's Wife"*. Also *"The Bachelor's Wife"*.

BEVERLY 11th & E. St. N.W. 10:00, 1:00, 3:00, 5:00, 7:00, 9:00. *Charles Laughton-Vivian Leigh* in *"The Sign of the Cross"*. Also *"The Sign of the Cross"*.

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Stream Of Destiny

By Dorothy Thompson

II—Intrigues In Waltztime

Bucharest. IT TAKES only ten minutes to cross the Danube from Rusehuk on the Bulgarian side to Giurgiu on the Rumanian side. In the bright spring sunshine the Bulgarian town has something of the aspect of a spa. Perhaps it is the quay on the river, or the horse-drawn carriages, their seats and backs covered with fringed linen. Even if one has sat all day in a Bulgarian railroad station, because the Bulgarian visa has been used already going eastward and the telephone to the Legation had to be set in motion, and then up all night in a train without a sleeper in order to make a short cut and catch up on lost time, the breeze from the river blows the grit of sleeplessness out of one's eyes.

The little ferry ship bobs along gaily. One sits on deck and drinks a breakfast of syrupy Turkish coffee. Yesterday was cold and rainy. Today spring has burst, as it does in the Balkans, in winter, burges into summer without a pause.

THE RIVER is full of craft, their flags flapping in the wind. The water seems far away. What we wonder, is happening in Norway. The radio in the railroad station at Svilengrad retails news in Bulgarian only, interspersed with German opera.

The last papers are from Vienna, three days old, and contain nothing but news of German victories. A columnist, we think, should stay in New York and read the news of the world.

But there is news here, too, on the Danube. We count the flags and look at the names of the ships. There are the Waelhem and the Mons, destination Antwerp. But no, the destination has been painted out, and the ships fly the black flag. There is another ship that used to be Belgian. That's the French tricolor on it now, is it not? Bobbing along the side of them are Swastikas, and interspersed with them the flags of the Balkan states.

These small craft are warships too, wearing their own grim camouflage of war. In Istanbul, on the Black Sea, we had learned of the competition for buying every sort of boat that swims this river. Some people were making lots of money. Flags changed, from day to day. Union Jacks used to be rare on this stream; now they are numerous.

Britain is waging war in the Near East with money and diplomacy. These ships are here to carry oil and grain. Canada and Persia and the United States can supply the Allies with both, but Britain and France are buying what they do not need to keep it from the Nazis.

Almost all the foreign oil that Germany gets comes through this river—Russian oil from Baku and the Black Sea to the Bulgarian port of Varna, then up the Danube. Rumanian oil leaves this river by port where we shall disembark.

To purchase the products of the Danubian states and outbid the Nazis the Allies have just set up a new corporation. It offers high prices and foreign exchange—the foreign exchange which is essential to these states, with their rapidly declining currencies.

But the swastika flags offer stiff competition. As long as Germany is getting what she needs you are relatively safe. It is only when they win into the air. What we cannot buy from you, however, we may eventually come and get. We do not need to buy Polish oil any longer, or Czechoslovakian; there are other ways of getting what we want.

WE ARE in Bucharest in another hour, by taxi. The very thought of another train draws lines in our faces. We have been three full days getting here from Ankara.

Bucharest looks handsome and gay. "The Paris of the Balkans" it has been called. The great square before the royal palace has been vastly enlarged. Tree-lined boulevards have been built. The palace itself is being extended since the King became dictator, as well as King.

Dictators are good for architects, we observe, thinking of Rome.

The shops are full of furs and goods from all over the world. There is an air even of luxury. Boys in white berets, white shorts and bright blue uniforms remind us that King Carol has copied Mussolini and Hitler, even to the salute. These are the youth of the National Renaissance Front.

The parliament has become a body of cooperation. There is only one party. The King appoints his ministers and rules, through them, as an absolute monarch and modern dictator, removing or dismissing them at will. They wear uniforms.

Rumania had her Quislings too, the leaders of the Iron Guard. The leaders have all been slaughtered. The King took a leaf from Hitler himself. "Rumania awakes"—but not as preached by Nazi agents. If there is to be an "ism," it will be Carolism. And so it is.

One paper published in French, called "Paris Noir"—Black Paris—was a take-off on the "Paris Soir," the most popular evening paper in the French capital. It was published here by the Germans but has been suppressed by the Rumanian government at the instigation of the French Embassy. It was extremely cleverly done.

IN ANY CASE, the German propaganda in this part of the world is more prolific and infinitely better done than the Allied propaganda. It is sometimes breath-taking audacity. My companion, dining alone on the first evening here, read our American "Foreign Affairs." Before going to bed she put her

shoes before the door to be cleaned. In the morning she found a little bouquet of flowers in each, and an anonymous note: "You cannot read 'Foreign Affairs' all the time." Along with the flowers is a pamphlet on the German "case."

The Rumanian propaganda department is informed by the Germans regarding the opinions of all journalists, from whatever country. They sent a letter regarding my own arrival. I am anti-Nazi, they said, and the Rumanian authorities had been warned. The result of this confidential memorandum is that every newspaperman in Bucharest knows it. But the Rumanian authorities are courteous in the extreme. Everything reasonable I ask for is granted. For Rumania walks a tightrope, and as long as she can will be, to the greatest possible extent, all things to all men.

Rumania walks a tightrope because there is more than one menace to her independence and security. There are the Germans, but there are also the Russians who, unlike the Germans, have a frontier on Rumania, and did not Mr. Molotov say the other day that Bessarabia, part of Rumania on the Russian border, was Russian?

There are Hungarians, who in the division of Czechoslovakia got a piece of Slovakia and 2,000,000 new citizens. Hungary has a grievance against the last peace treaty no less virulent than that of the Germans, and she claims nearly a third of Rumania. If she is not pushing her claim today, she did push it yesterday and will tomorrow. If the Germans should march, it would have to be through Hungary, and Hungary would probably want her price.

Still, there is Poland to remember. Poland also got part of Czechoslovakia, but who has it now?

THESE VARIOUS incidents crowding Rumania do not work wholly to her disadvantage. Italy does not want to see Russia get anything in the Balkans. Italy has just sent aviators to Rumania, to train Rumanian pilots. To use against whom? Italy, they say, is doing everything possible to keep Europe quiet. Why, then, does she talk war? Is her penetration everywhere in the interests of peace? You can discuss this subject for hours with Rumanian subjects. Nobody knows. Only they say, "Machiavelli is not sitting in Berlin but in his own home country, Italy."

RUMANIA'S independence is guaranteed by the Allies against an attack by Germany, but not against an attack by the Russians. But the Russians are on her border and the Rumanians hate the Russians is deeper than their fear of the Germans.

The Germans occupied Rumania in the last war, but the Allies won the war and Germany got out. The Rumanians remember the occupation as orderly, efficient and well controlled. Besides, the Allies won the war and everything turned out well for Rumania.

But Russia? Russia was an ally. When the Germans threatened Rumania the crown jewels were sent for safe keeping to Moscow. So was the country's gold reserve. And so was one of the world's greatest archaeological gold treasures. The Bolsheviks came in and Rumania never got any of them back. Russia is treacherous. So they think in Rumania.

In Rumania they think the Allies will win the war. Most Rumanians want them to win. They say, like Roosevelt, "We are neutral as a government, but no individual is neutral in his heart." Still, they are afraid of the Allies, too. They are afraid that the Allies may tighten the blockade or undertake some adventure in the Danube that the Germans will decide to march. You say, "Well, you can threaten, if attacked, to scuttle the oil wells, can't you?" That idea seemed more plausible before you had seen the maps of derelicts. They say, "Well, the English and the French burned some of those in the last war, but the Germans got all the oil they needed out of Rumania anyhow."

So they tread softly here.

Carol.

"If there is any 'ism' in Rumania it is Carolism."

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Fair Enough

By Westbrook Pegler

A Baffling World

GEORGE SPELVIN, American, has been having a hard, wrestle with his conscience and principles, his ignorance and superstitions, and a desire to chuck the whole damn business and go fishing.

It is about the war. He thinks the Germans under Hitler are out to conquer as much of the world as they believe they can police and exploit, and after Poland and Norway he has no doubt that if they feel equal to the job they will start up our street when the British and French are rounded up. Mr. Spevlin has recovered from his early belief that Hitlerism was an antidote for Communism and has now come to regard it as a Communist revolution with racial and nationalistic trimmings. He noticed, in Czechoslovakia and Norway and, to a less extent, here in the United States, a parallel between the methods of the Stalin Communists and the Nazis.

He has noticed that the Nazis established cells in the guise of patriotic or cultural societies which are devoted to Hitler in the same way that the Bolos acknowledge Stalin, and always pretend to want to save this country from the folly of war. A few years ago the Communists were using the same line, preaching disarmament while Russia maintained the biggest, if the dumbest, army in the world, and exhorting Americans to beware the war-mongers who thought it might be a wise idea to whittle a few arrows of defense.

HE WANTS the British and French to knock the ears off the Nazis, and he would like to help them do it to the extent of selling them some soldier tools for cash and possibly, later on, on credit. But when he tries to picture the state of the world after the war, even with the Allies victorious, he can't see anything but more Communism or Hitlerism. With these very countries owing so much on top of what they already owe themselves that they can never be able to pay off in any kind of money which is in existence they will have to go through the wringer and turn Communist or Nazi, which is the same thing, even if they should win.

He sees millions of men suddenly released from the ranks and dumped back on a system known by the big-busted name of capitalist economy, which will be unable to receive them back into peaceful production. He sees unrest and disorders ensuing and eventually the imposition of dictatorial or totalitarian governments with strong patriotic or nationalistic implications. Therefore, he can see any reason for fighting Nazis except that it is a terrible thing.

Mr. Spevlin knows the Germans started this war, and far from believing that the British or French, or both, started or desired it, is inclined to blame them because they didn't take the initiative from Hitler.

He thinks they should have knocked Hitler out of the Rhine that time, and certainly should have spent some money on arms instead of economy. He is hoping for the best in order to keep down their taxes. Yet he figures that in order to keep step with Hitler to have had to abandon their democratic liberties and their system of finance and commerce, constituting, in all, the very things for which they are now fighting.

THE BAFILING part of it all to Mr. Spevlin is his fear, amounting to a gloomy belief, that the Allies will not be able to pay for the soldier tools which they will need from this country and which he wants them to have, and will presently require credit, even if they should win, and he comes then to the realization that the Americans would be paying for a large share of the party. He thinks this would be ruinous to the American economy added to the present debt, and wonders what would happen then.

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GOVERNOR STASSEN

"It looks as though some remarkable acrobatics will be expected of him." See Ernest Lindley's article below

The Keynoters

By Ernest Lindley

Some Difficulties Awaiting Them

GOVERNOR STASSEN of Minnesota is seeking the advice of other Republican leaders on his keynote speech for the Republican National Convention. This is normal procedure. A keynoter does not speak for himself. His task, ordinarily, is to harmonize his party and work up its fighting spirit and, at the same time, to make a favorable impression on the rank and file of voters.

If his party holds the Presidency, the keynoter is only a spokesman for the White House. If it is out of power he must console many leaders and strive to find the common denominators. Stassen is near the left wing of the Republican Party as it is now constituted. His own views are less far removed from those of Senator McNary, Minority Leader Martin, and Alf M. Landon, than from some of the big financial backers of the party who hope to control the convention.

Four of the major points which Stassen is understood to be considering for his keynote speech are: 1. Keep out of foreign entanglements and, above all, keep out of war. 2. Repeat the Reciprocal Trade Act. 3. Balance the budget as quickly as possible and return the administration of relief to states and localities. 4. Go back to the McNary-Haugen principle in farm aid, and also expand the soil conservation program.

IN THE FOREIGN FIELD, unless conditions change drastically, Keep out of War will be the slogan of both parties. In capitalizing on it, the Democrats suffer from three handicaps. The first is the precedent set by Woodrow Wilson, who was reelected by that cry in 1916, but took us into war five months later. The second is the strong interventionist policy which the Roosevelt Administration has advocated—interventism, by means of "short of war" but which to some people have seemed risky and likely to lead to war. The third is the responsibility for conducting our foreign policy which between now and election day take the Far East, for example. The Roosevelt Administration cannot pledge itself to keep out of war in the Far East, no matter what happens, without sacrificing its "moral influence" to restrain Japan.

The Roosevelt Administration can argue that its foreign policy is well-designed to keep us out of the hoodoo which they will need from this country and which he wants them to have, and will presently require credit, even if they should win, and he comes then to the realization that the Americans would be paying for a large share of the party. He thinks this would be ruinous to the American economy added to the present debt, and wonders what would happen then.

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The President On Air Safety

Text of Statement

He Replies to Critics

SINCE the transmittal of Reorganization plans Nos. III and IV a flood of misinformation has engulfed those sections dealing with the Civil Aeronautics Authority. Much of this has fallen of its own absurdity and needs no comment. This morning, however, we saw a group of well-intentioned people staking out an exclusive claim to a so-called "lobby to save lives."

The implication that we are not interested in saving lives, which is certainly contradicted by the record of our progress in civil aviation during recent years, compels me to restate in simple terms the basic features of the reorganization plans affecting the Civil Aeronautics Authority.

I might say here that everybody is for the abstract idea of reorganization in the interest of increased efficiency and economy. However, there is a rather discouraging collapse of enthusiasm when concrete proposals are made. In selfish protection of their own special interests we always find particular groups who hitherto favored reorganization arising in protest.

As it now stands, there are three agencies—the Civil Aeronautics five-member Authority, the Administrator and the Air Safety Board—all autonomous groups, none of them represented at the cabinet table. The inherent problems confronting them were intensified by friction, particularly within the Air Safety Board. For five months the Administrative Management Division of the Budget Bureau made a study at my request of the operation of the Authority. It became obvious that a change was imperative if we were to continue to move forward in civil aviation. Here, in simple summary, is the proposal:

1. Despite handicaps, the Federal program for civil aeronautics has now achieved a stature and an importance which justify bringing this program, more closely into the Federal family. The proposal will place it within the framework of the Department of Commerce, where it will have a closer relationship with the important reporting services of the Weather Bureau and the essential air navigation service of the Coast and Geodetic Survey. More than that, it will provide representation at the cabinet table for a program of basic significance to our national transportation and our national defense.

2. The present five-member Authority, which has received such widespread praise, remains as an independent Civil Aeronautics Board performing the basic regulatory functions. It will continue to appoint and control its own personnel and submit its own budget.

3. Certain of the Authority's functions are transferred to the Administrator to eliminate a blind spot created by the failure of the Civil Aeronautics Act of 1938 to carry out the intention of Congress to distinguish clearly between the functions of the Administrator and the Authority.

4. The function of investigating accidents is transferred to the Civil Aeronautics Board which, unlike the present Air Safety Board, will not be helpless to take positive steps toward preventing the recurrence of accidents. Unlike the Air Safety Board, the Civil Aeronautics Board will have the power to prescribe air safety rules, regulations and standards, and to suspend or revoke certificates after hearing. Not only does this continue the present independence of accident investigation, but it also makes

Time Of Trouble

By Barnet Nover

Dark Hours Ahead For The Allies

THESE ARE DARK hours for the Allies and there is no dawn in sight.

Tuesday marked the end of the third week since the Germans began their invasion of Norway. This is a longer period than it took them to complete the conquest of Poland, a nation with several times the area and ten times the population of Hitler's latest victim. But the Allies can derive only scant comfort from this fact.

With the capture of Dombas and Støren, the Nazis have achieved a tactical triumph of the first magnitude. They have smashed Allied efforts to carry out an encircling movement against Trondheim from Namsos to the north and Andalsnes to the south. They are now in a position to relieve the German garrison at

conclusively proved that as against German air power, Allied sea power is inadequate. And even if the Duce decides to stay his hand for a while longer, the spectacle of Allied helplessness in Norway may have a real bearing on his ultimate stand with respect to the war.

YET THE PICTURE, depressing as it unquestionably is, is not wholly black for the Allies. True, they failed to dislodge the Nazis from Trondheim or any other point on the Norwegian coast seized by the invaders in their spectacular coup of April 9. Nor did they succeed in preventing Germany from greatly increasing the size of her force in Norway. Leland Stowe suggests in a dispatch to the Chicago Daily News that the Germans outnumber the Allies three to one. And this disparity is accentuated by the superiority possessed by the invaders with respect to armaments and airpower. But the Allies, for all their mistakes, of judgment, for all their hesitation and weakness of will and execution, have not been sitting by with arms folded during these past three weeks.

They have certain real accomplishments to their credit and these must not be ignored. Regardless of present developments they may prove to have a real bearing on the ultimate outcome of the Norwegian struggle.

In the first place, Allied sea power has been sufficiently effective to permit the landing of British and French troops at a number of points on the Norwegian coast. In the second place, these landings have been carried out despite German air raids which, in the case of Namsos, appear to have resulted in the demolition of the town. And, thirdly, the Allies have succeeded in achieving a relative preponderance at Narvik which creates difficulties in the way of Swedish shipments of ore to Germany.

THUS FAR in the Norwegian war the Allies have been outtraced, outgeneralized and outmaneuvered. But the defeats they have suffered do not by any means constitute a rout and as long as that is true the pendulum which has swung against them may, in the course of time swing in their favor. Their difficulties have undoubtedly been multiplied by the events of the last few days. They may be further increased by the aftermath of these events. But the ultimate decision regarding the war in Norway has not been reached.

Assuming that the Allies will continue to send reinforcements to Norway, the immediate prospect is for the creation of a stalemate in central Norway comparable to that which prevails on the Western Front. Such a situation would have its real disadvantages to Great Britain and France. But it would not be without its compensations. As long as the Allies retain a foothold at several points in Norway, it is doubtful if the Germans could successfully use Norway as a base for air and submarine operations against Great Britain. And in such a war of attrition the blockade would operate with intensified force. That the card of the Allies has not yet been trumped.

GEN. CARTON DE WIART
"He and his men have been outtraced and outmaneuvered."

Trondheim. It is now the turn of the Allied forces to face encirclement. And all of southern Norway lies within the German grasp.

IN COMPARISON with this spectacular Nazi victory, the probable success of the Allies in their latest effort to dislodge the German garrison at Narvik and take full possession of that northern Norwegian port is of minor significance at the moment.

The capture of Narvik will in no sense mitigate the disastrous failure of the British, French and Norwegian forces to capture Trondheim. The old complaint against Allied action of always being "too little and too late" will again be heard. On the other hand, Hitler can be expected to capitalize to the full the victory his troops have achieved in Norway.

It is of more than passing moment that in view of the latest developments taking place in the north, Great Britain and France have found it advisable to take special precautions in the Mediterranean.

The sequel to the fall of Støren and Dombas may be Italy's entry into the war. Mussolini may decide that the Norwegian test has

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Martha Ellyn's
Platter Chatter

Dutch Moravian Buns to Be Served at Flower Mart Tea

May Day is the time when one is supposed to arise at the crack of dawn, wash the face in dew and bring in garlands of flowers. At least that is the way they celebrated the arrival of the month of May in Shakespeare's time. Today the All Hallows Guild, known as the flower guild of the cathedral, is holding a flower mart for the beautification of the National Cathedral grounds, particularly the Bishop's garden. The guild is serving luncheon, and tea is to be served from 4 to 6 on the Pilgrim Steps of the cathedral. Along with the tea will be served cinnamon buns, the kind that has established a reputation for Mrs. Charles M. Lea as a hostess who serves delicious bread.

Mrs. Lea, who is to provide the buns, cannot understand why a simple food should have given her such a favorable reputation as a hostess. She points out that in Philadelphia, and for miles around, cinnamon buns are served daily. The recipe she uses came to her from a great aunt, who in turn got it from the Moravian Dutch across the river from her Burlington, N. J., home.

Mrs. Pauline Steers, who has been Mrs. Lea's cook for 12 years, has given me the recipe for the buns she will make for the tea. Her directions follow:

Cinnamon Buns

Dissolve 4 yeast cakes in 1 quart lukewarm milk. Add 1 cup sugar, 1 tablespoon salt, the grated rind of 1 lemon or a teaspoon of mace, 4 egg yolks or 4 whole eggs. Beat all together and add enough flour to make a soft dough. Let the mixture rise double its size. Roll the raised dough out to 1/4-inch thickness and brush heavily with butter and sprinkle heavily with sugar and cinnamon and raisins, and nuts if desired. After rolling it into a roll brush again with butter all over. It may then be cut into pieces the size of the small finger and placed in pan to let rise. Butter is applied again, 1 teaspoonful to each bun, with more sugar and cinnamon. Bake in 350 degree oven for about 30 minutes.

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By Ida Jean Kain

SOME doubt persists in our minds as to the masculine opinion of hands. Men are always going around saying they notice a woman's hands first, but it could be they think it sounds better than admitting that they have an eye for a trim ankle.

But maybe we're wrong... The other day a movie star flew into town and all the hard-boiled reporters commented on the little girl freshness of her appearance (she is in her 30's) and, to a man, went on to remark that the only place she showed her age was in her hands.

So perhaps it is just as important to take care of our hands as it is to ward off the middle-age spread—even to the extent of doing five-finger exercises! Let's start with stretching. It is very good for keeping the hands supple and strong. Spread the fingers wide apart and stretch them until you feel a tug at the small muscles. Relax, and stretch again. Now, close the fingers into a tight fist, open the hands and stretch again.

Squeeze Rubber Ball

An exercise that will help to improve the circulation and make the hands strong and beautiful is this: Hold a small rubber ball in each hand. Squeeze and relax, keeping it up for 10 counts for each hand.

Massage is always a beauty aid. A model whose hands are featured in nail polish and wedding ring advertisements spends more time on her hands than the average woman devotes to her face. She massages her hands for 30 minutes daily with a good cold cream, pulling each finger out gently and massaging from the knuckles down to the fingertips.

Washing dishes does not harm the hands as long as the water is not too hot. But you can't expect to keep your hands looking young if you practically parboil them three times a day, or if you use very harsh soaps. The kitchen soap should be no stronger than that used in the bath. The grease in the dish water is considered beneficial to the hands.

Olive Oil for Thin Hands

What's good for your face is twice as good for your hands, and creams and lotions are es-

Mary Haworth's Mail

will not appear for several days. Miss Haworth has been called out of town

sential. Those containing vitamin A, which promotes the health of the skin, are especially beneficial.

Hands that are too thin should be massaged nightly with olive oil or coconut butter. The health of your nails is tied up with your diet. You need plenty of milk, eggs, lean meat, fruits and vegetables for the vitamins and minerals that make up a balanced menu. The nails are formed from protein and calcium but all the vitamins are needed for the utilization of food elements. If your nails break easily, toughen them by using an emery board lightly for a few strokes each day.

Personally, we like work hands—the kind that look as if they had been of some use in the world—but there is no reason why they shouldn't be as ornamental as it is possible to make them.

Renovated Table

A discarded round dining table can sometimes be very smartly resurrected by cutting down the center pedestal and making a broad, low coffee-height table of it. A bleach can add style if the old finish isn't good.

Also shown were pearl bead embroidery representing full-sized ears of corn and silk handkerchiefs printed with the calendar of food and drink restrictions imposed by the French government.

A Woman's New York

By Alice Hughes

It's Bernays' Job
To See That All
Women Wear Hats

New York, April 30.

AFTER YEARS of beefing and weeping, the milliners have now turned in rage upon their pet demon, the current plague of hatlessness among the girls. This has been rampant now for some years, especially among the youngsters, who must be the hat-buying matrons of tomorrow. So at last the creators acted, by hiring the eminent publicist, Edward Bernays, to clap hats back on every feminine head, however stubborn.

Eddie, who is at the top of his profession since the death of Ivy Lee, Rockefeller's dignified representative, likes to be considered a molder of public opinion and all that, but actually he is a press agent in big, black capital letters. Just how he proposes to perform this new feat is still his secret, but we'll soon find out. Bernays has labored on hats before. In 1928 the milliners hired him to get us out of cloche hats because the women of that boom year wouldn't wear anything else. And now he's on the pay roll to get us into any kind of sky pieces at all, even cloches, maybe. Droll, hein, or hey?

Well-known women around our town, like Mrs. George S. Kaufman and Mary Lewis, the style tycoon, have long gone hatless, and kids like Brenda Frazier and her ilk have raced the midtown streets covered only by their tathches. Gut Brenda has come back from the Bahamas with some hats. Has Eddie Bernays already fired the first gun of his campaign at the ducky one? Who can tell?

My friends, the Hammer boys—Armand, Victor and Harry—who deal in relics of czarist Russia, have a gaudy new appointment. They are now American purchasing agents for the handsome 20-year-old King Farouk of Egypt. The King reads all American magazines, practically, and snips out pictures or descriptions of things he wants. Then he sends them to the Hammers. His last request was for a bicycle. Vic is in Cairo now. He wrote Harry that when he got off the train one of the King's staff gave him, as a welcoming gift, a small gold hammer to wear in his lapel.

The Gentler Sex



By MALVINA LINDSAY

The Better Dress

"You think that's too much... But look what the dress does for you! Another thing, let me tell you something—you're not the type that can wear a cheap dress... Not... Oh, I'm not saying that those other little dresses you tried on aren't perfectly adorable. They're all right for—well you know the type. But they just don't belong on you. No, you want something more distinctive, something with more—more glamour—no that's not exactly the word, but you know what I mean. Now that dress you have on, you could go anywhere in it—I mean even among people that wear exclusive models—and still not be ashamed of yourself. Now, what a woman of your type wants in a dress is line and detail. You don't care for all this trippery. Simple line—that's what you like—but with distinguishing detail. And that's just what this dress has."

"What?... Bankrupt?... Well, of course, you know your own pocketbook, but the really economical thing, I'd say, would be to buy this dress... You know it never pays to buy cheap clothes."

"Oh, yes, indeed, I think this dress does a lot more for you than any of the others. Why there's no comparison! Not that those other dresses aren't wonderful little values for the money, but this is more the sort of thing for your type. Now you're conservative—but you also want to be smart. And that's what this dress is—it's dignified but it's not too mature, it's youthful but it's not kiddish."

"Next season?... Oh, yes, indeed! That'll be perfectly good style next summer. That's why it's really economy to buy it. Another thing, think of all the wear you can get out of it! And it'll be so wonderful to wear on a train."

"What?... Well, but it mightn't be here when you came back. This type of thing's grabbed up so quickly—Say! Just look at that back in the mirror! Isn't that youthful looking!"

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Kappa Kappa Gammas Entertain Marjorie Weaver

Film Star, a Member of the Sorority, Is Accompanied to Tea by Roommate In Delta Chapter House at Indiana U.

By Jessie Ash Arndt
The Post Club Editor

Kappa Kappa Gammas at George Washington University had the thrill that comes once in a lifetime yesterday afternoon when they entertained Marjorie Weaver, noted Hollywood star, and a sister Kappa, at tea. She was accompanied by Mrs. Richard Moss who, was her roommate at Delta Chapter House when she attended the University of Indiana.

It was Mrs. Moss who started her on the road to stardom by sending her photograph to the beauty contest which opened her way to pictures.

There was a stir of excitement among the active chapter members and alumnae as well as the prospect of greeting one of Kappa Kappa Gamma's most noted members, and many had already fathomed in the chapter room of Sorority Hall when she and Mrs. Moss arrived.

She wore no hat and her black hair was combed in a long bob with curls in back. She wore an orchid sports dress with matching coat and a corsage of iris—the Kappa flower—and gardenias.

Miss Eleanor Sherburne, president of Gamma Chi Chapter at G. W. U. received with the two honor guests. Mrs. Moss, who bore remarkable resemblance to Miss Weaver, also was hostess and wore her hair in the same style. Her costume was in tones of brown, a dark coat over a semi-tailored dress.

When all of the guests had gone down the line, refreshments of raspberry ice and cakes, were served and the girls settled themselves comfortably on the floor, Indian fashion, to visit with their distinguished sorority sister.

Miss Weaver answered questions about how she happened to get into the movies, the pictures she'd been in, her student days at Indiana and how she liked Washington.

The girls also entertained her with Kappa songs, among them those on which they were awarded the cup in the inter-sorority sing at the university Monday night.

Arrangements for the tea were in charge of Miss Anne Barret, social chairman for the chapter.

Among the guests were Tempe Curry, the president of Gamma Psi Chapter at Maryland University; Mrs. Vinnie G. Barrows, director of personnel at George Washington University; Mrs. Raleigh Gilchrist, president of the Altrusa Club and an active member of the Kappa alumnae; Mrs. Newton E. Buckley, house mother at Sorority Hall; Mrs. Edward C. Stone, of the alumnae; Mrs. Skipwith Coale, Miss Edith Macauley, Miss Margaret Blackstone, president of the Washington alumnae; Mrs. Sietorde Stelwagon and Mrs. E. E. Kinzel.

Church Club to Give Fashion Show Friday

A display of spring and summer fashions in evening clothes, spectator sports and active sports wear will be featured in an evening of entertainment at the First Congregational Church, Tenth and G streets northwest, at 8 Friday.

On the program will be Miss Clara Mae Tarbett, soprano; Cecil Yates, tenor, and the Virginia Barry dance students.

The Young Women's Club of the church is sponsoring the program, with club members as models for the fashion show. The Misses Carol Burke, Willa Mae Davis, Myra Roelf, Harriet Parker, Lorraine Parker and Roberta Walter are to serve as models.

When Sorority Sisters Get Together



Sorority sisters all are Miss Eleanor Sherburne (left), president of the active chapter of Kappa Kappa Gamma at George Washington University; Miss Marjorie Weaver, movie star, and Miss Tempe Curry, president of Kappa Kappa Gamma at the University of Maryland.

'Skytop Fair' Held by League Of Shoppers

The roof of the Washington Hotel was transformed into a carnival scene last night for the "Skytop Fair," sponsored, as a benefit, by the League of Women Shoppers. Several hundred members and guests attended, patronized the booths and saw the side-shows.

Robert Horton, in a loud plaid suit, was barker for the side-shows, which included satirical skits written by Bernard C. Schoenfeld and directed by Mrs. Warren Scharfman. There was an animal act, with Michael Straus as the trainer and the three lions representing different fields of business, with Carleton Skinner for the glass industry, Robert Cooper for insurance, and David Lloyd for patents. In another, Leon Henderson represented the Legislative Council of the District with Betty Vinton as "Mr. Zit, the Whistler."

Mrs. Mordcaai Ezekiel, president of the league, appeared with Cecil Owen in the "Martin Ties" magician act, aimed at the Dies Committee. Abe Fortas and Carol Agger presented the mind-reading skit, a take-off on the Securities and Exchange Commission, and Metcalfe Walling, as the knife thrower, wearing a cap and gown, represented Raymond Moley, with Gardner Jackson as the "Saturday Evening Post boy."

At 11 o'clock, paintings, donated by several Washington artists, were awarded as prizes by Associate Justice William O. Douglas of the Supreme Court. The pictures included a landscape by Mrs. Bernice Cross; scenes in the Virgin Islands by Mitchell Jamieson; a landscape by Julia Eckel, and a Negro head, "Native Son," by Nelson Rosenberg.

Committees Named for Guild Fashion Show

Mrs. Samuel Herrick, president of the Woman's Guild of Goodwill Industries, has announced the appointment of committee chairmen and members to serve for the garden card party and fashion show to be given on the grounds of Mount Vernon Seminary, Nebraska, and Massachusetts avenues, at 2 p. m. on Friday, May 17.

They are: Chairman, Miss Gertrude Luce, vice chairman, Mrs. Richard Stimson; tickets, Mrs. Richard Herrick; cookies, cake, candy and cigarettes, Mrs. Irene Caldwell, who will be assisted by the party committee under the leadership of Mrs. Barnet Nover; fashion show, Mrs. Charles Marsh; chairs and tables, Mrs. Elmer Frazier, chairman; Mrs. M. C. Reed, Mrs. Henry Ralph, Mrs. R. C. Bowker and Mrs. Chesley Manly and fortune tellers and door prizes, Mrs. Samuel Herrick.

Girls from the seminary will model gowns. In the event of inclement weather the party will be held in the open-air gymnasium of the school.

Proceeds will go to the guild fund for welfare work among the handicapped employees of the Goodwill Industries. Tickets are in the charge of Mrs. R. P. Herrick, 1626 Forty-fourth street.

Miss Rose Greely Judges Flower Mart

Miss Rose Greely, Washington landscape architect, will be one of the judges selecting the most attractively arranged booths at the Flower Mart—today on the Pilgrim Steps of Washington Cathedral.

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Madame Chairman

By Suzanne

200 Make Reservations for Unity Luncheon Of Council of Church Women Tomorrow

More than 200 members of the Washington Council of Church Women have made reservations for the annual May luncheon to be held at the Washington Hotel tomorrow, in which the local church women will join with those throughout the country in an observance stressing Christian unity.

Secretary of Labor Frances Perkins and Dr. Albert McCartney will speak, and Mrs. Walter Knipp, of New York, a member of the board of directors of the National Council of Church Women, will be among the guests of honor. Mrs. Frank A. Linzel, president of the local council, which has a membership of 4,000, representing 18 denominations, will preside.

PREPARE FOR CONVENTION The registration committee for the annual convention of the District Congress of Parents and Teachers will meet tomorrow morning at 10:30 in room 40 of Thomson School, Twelfth and L streets, to start preparations for the two-day session, May 21-22, in the departmental auditorium.

ARMY DAUGHTERS TO ELECT—The Army Daughters will meet Monday at the Army and Navy Club on Connecticut avenue and I street for their annual election of officers. Mrs. Paul S. Bond, who is now president, remains in office for another year. Mrs. Seth Williams and Mrs. Abram Claude are candidates for second vice president; Mrs. Leon M. Grant, for treasurer, and Mrs. Edward C. Radue and Mrs. Bowman Stevens, for registrar.

SUGAR PLUM TOWN—Like a cottage in Candy Land, sugar plum tree and all, will be the booth of the Capital Division of the National Farm and Garden Association at the Flower Mart on the Pilgrim Steps of Washington Cathedral today.

It will be a little cottage window with flower boxes outside and, at either end, will be large potted orange trees from the University of Maryland agricultural department, on which will be "growing" orange packages of

candy, each with a surprise inside for the young purchaser. The association members in charge of the booth will wear smocks or dresses in gay colors and little hats appropriately decorated with fruit and vegetables. Mrs. R. J. Taylor is chairman of the booth and Mrs. Willoughby Chesley, of the arts and crafts exhibit, which will be included.

BENEFIT FRIDAY—The League of the Covenant-First Presbyterian Church is sponsoring a lecture, "Back of the Blackout," Friday night at the Washington Club, by E. B. Hitchcock, news analyst and radio commentator. The proceeds will be for the benefit of the camp fund of the Juvenile Court department of the Washington Council of Church Women, which each season furnishes camp scholarships for underprivileged children.

KNITTING GROUP MEETS—The American Knitters will meet at the Hay-Adams House today from 2:30 a. m. to noon, under the direction of Miss Myrtle-May Smith. There are now about 30 knitting regularly, some for themselves and a large number for the Red Cross.

Miss Smith says, with the growing enthusiasm of the women, it looks as though card tables would be folded up and the cards replaced by yarn and knitting needles. The women will have something to show for the hours they spend at the knitting club, too. Some of them already are wearing smart spring dresses they have made and others are in the process of knitting summer ones. Those interested in helping others in an emergency are doing their knitting for the Red Cross.

Miss Smith, who has been an active member of the Red Cross since she was a child living in Kansas City and Chicago, also has a group of knitters who devote themselves exclusively to work for the Red Cross.

EARLY BIRDS—Entertaining the First Lady at luncheon yesterday meant early rising for the Girl Scouts. They started at 7:30 in the morning, making the ice cream for dessert for the luncheon at which Mrs. Roosevelt was the honored guest at the National Girl Scouts' Little House. Monday they had prepared the chicken, and other preparations were hurried through yesterday morning.

Fifty girls formed a guard of honor for her as she entered the Little House. A box of Girl Scout cookies was presented to her after the luncheon.

Safety Group Meets Monday On Capitol Hill

Season's Last Session Planned in Minority Room of Senate

The women's safety committee of the American Automobile Association, of which Mrs. George C. Thorpe is chairman, will have its final meeting of the season Monday morning at 11 o'clock, in the Senate minority room of the Senate Office Building.

It will be the first time since Senator Charles L. McNary has been minority leader that the room will have been used by any outside group. After the meeting, the committee members will have luncheon in the Senate's private dining room with Senator Morris Sheppard as host.

The safety committee, which has been responsible for several important safety projects in the Capitol during the last five years, has three major objectives on its present program. One is the extension of the drivers' training course, now being successfully given at Abbot Vocational School, to a white high school, a colored high school and a colored vocational school. For this, the appropriation must be increased from \$2,400 to \$8,800.

Another recommendation is for legislation directing the District Commissioners to inaugurate a survey looking to the solution of the parking problem for Washington. Mrs. Thorpe recently appeared before the Senate subcommittee, presenting a comparative study of the parking problems and solutions in several other cities and those in the Capital.

The survey would cover the flow of traffic, its origin and destination; cars using fringe and downtown parking; the cost of municipally-controlled off-street parking areas and means of meeting such expense.

The third item on the committee's program is to secure an increase of the bonus for members of the motorcycle corps of the Metropolitan Police from \$10 to \$20 a month. Because of the hazard of the assignment, the department makes the motorcycle corps a volunteer service with a bonus in pay to encourage men to enter it.

Miss Wright Will Address Woman's Club

Miss Irene Wright, of the Division of Cultural Relations, in the State Department, will address the Woman's Club of Kensington Friday afternoon. Miss Wright

is chairman of the committee on archival material of the World Center for Women's Archives. Mrs. Hosmer P. Hartshorn will report on the recent meeting of

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That generous type of hospitality, known locally as the "Chip" and "Evie" Robert brand, is being lavished on society this week. Last night Mr. and Mrs. Robert, who have few peers when it comes to entertaining, gave a large dinner party at the 1925 F Street Club in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Warswick, of Palm Beach and London. The Warswicks, who are simply "knocking about" the countryside at present, are in town for only a fleeting visit. The Roberts visited them in Palm Beach earlier in the season.

It would be a sad day for racing fans if the Roberts ever decided to give up their annual junket—via private car—to the Kentucky Derby. But to date plans have gone on as always and a merry group, including several Cabinet officers, will be off for Churchill Downs on Friday afternoon to take in the famous race the next day.

Last night "Chip" and "Evie" received informally in the flower-filled drawing room of the F Street Club. Willow, blonde Mrs. Robert was smartly gowned in a heavy white crepe frock edged in gold embroidery, with a long-sleeved jacket embroidered in gold.

Floyd Odlums Among Guests

Down from New York for the dinner were Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Odlum. Mr. Odlum—sometimes called the "Wonder Boy of Wall Street"—is married to Jacqueline Cochran, well known aviatrix. Titian-haired Mrs. Odlum, who copped the coveted Bendix Trophy several seasons ago, also dabbles commercially in cosmetics. Also here from New York were Mr. and Mrs. Clark H. Minor. Mr. Minor is president of the International General Electric Co.

The Secretary of War and Mrs. Harry H. Woodring were among the guests as were the Secretary of Navy and Mrs. Charles Edison, who plan to join the Roberts on their trip to the derby. The British correspondent, Sir Willmott Lewis, and handsome Lady Lewis added sparkle to the dinner conversation. Another writer, J. P. McEvoy, was there, accompanied by Mrs. McEvoy.

Bachelors Abound At Party

The extra-man problem—the bane of many hosts—would seem to hold no terrors for Mr. and Mrs. Robert. A few of the "eligibles" on hand last night included Associate Justice Frank Murphy, Col. F. C. "Pinkie" Harrington, head of the WPA; Stewart McDonald, Charles Michelson, Senator Richard B. Russell, Senator Bob Reynolds, the Polish Ambassador, Count Jerzy Potocki, Senator Tom Connally and George T. Summerlin.

Still others in the company were Justice and Mrs. Stanley Reed, former Gov. and Mrs. O. Max Gardner, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Auchincloss, Mr. and Mrs. William MacCracken, Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Walker, of Honolulu; Mr. and Mrs. Aldace Walker, Mrs. Pearson Rust, Mrs. Emmons Smith, Mrs. A. Mitchell Palmer, Mrs. Harold Walker, Mrs. James D. Robinson, of Atlanta, and Mrs. George Messker, of Palm Beach.

Bidu Sayao Gives Concert

A brilliant Brazilian singer, Bidu Sayao, delighted her audience at the Pan American Union concert last night. Later in the evening at 11 o'clock the petite, brunette star of the Metropolitan Opera was guest of honor at a supper party given by the Brazilian Ambassador and Senhora de Martins at the embassy.

A distinguished group of Latin-American diplomats was invited to the supper, also many members of the Brazilian colony in the Capital. Supper, for about 100, was served buffet style.

By 9 o'clock the Hall of the Americas in the Pan American Union was filled with diplomats, Congressmen and members of the service set. The scarlet-coated Marine Band augmented the program offered by Senorita Sayao, Dr. Leo S. Rowe, Director General of the Pan American Union, was on hand to greet his guests.

Many attending the concert were invited to a supper later. Diplomats in the audience last night included the Mexican Ambassador and Senora de Castillo Najera, the Chilean Ambassador and Senora de Cabero, the Turkish Ambassador and Mme. Ertegun, the Brazilian Ambassador and Senhora Martins, the Japanese Ambassador and Mme. Horinouchi, the Ambassador of Panama and Senora de Boyd, and many others.

Guests from the Congressional contingent included Senator Arthur Capper, Senator Joseph Guffey, Senator and Mrs. Elbert D. Thomas, Representative and Mrs. Roy O. Woodruff, Representative and Mrs. John M. Vorys, Representative Caroline O'Day, Representative and Mrs. John Kee, Representative and Mrs. Robert Chipfield.

Admiral and Mrs. W. S. Anderson were there as were Admiral and Mrs. Benjamin H. Dorsey, Admiral and Mrs. Ross T. McIntire, Gen. and Mrs. Dion Williams, Gen. and Mrs. Charles Wesson, Gen. and Mrs. J. E. Fickel, Gen. and Mrs. Allen W. Gullion, Gen. and Mrs. Frank T. Hines, and many others.

Garden Lures Luncheon Guests



Surrounded by spring blooms are Mme. Rajamaitri, Senora de Boyd and Mrs. Henry A. Wallace. Following the luncheon given by Mrs. Walter Wyatt yesterday guests strolled out into her garden to inspect the flowers.

Rajamaitris Entertained At Parties

First Lady Greets
Retiring Minister
Of Thailand, Wife

A round of calls had the retiring Minister of Thailand and Mme. Rajamaitri on the go yesterday afternoon.

At 4:45 p. m. they were received at the White House by Mrs. Roosevelt. Later they went on to a party given in their honor by Dr. and Mrs. Stanley K. Hornbeck, who purposely set their tea after 5:30 to enable the Minister and his wife to get there on time. Earlier in the day Mme. Rajamaitri shared honors with Mrs. Grace Dupre Ridings at a luncheon given by Mrs. Walter Wyatt at her home on Kalorama road. Mrs. Ridings will leave today for her home in Sherman, Tex., accompanied by her husband, Dr. Alfred Lafayette Ridings, after a visit of several weeks in the Capital.

At the luncheon, Mme. Rajamaitri wore a chic polka-dot frock of black and yellow. She completed the ensemble with a natural straw turban.

Mrs. Ridings wore a rose crepe gown and a large brimmed straw hat of navy decked with pink-tinted roses. Mrs. Wyatt's figured gown was in gray and rose tones. She presented her honor guests with corsages of narcissi plucked from her own garden. The table was centered with a huge bowl of the fragrant white flowers.

Guests at the luncheon also included Senora de Boyd, wife of the Ambassador of Panama, who wore a striking navy-blue ensemble with touches of chartreuse, and Mrs. Henry A. Wallace, wife of the Secretary of Agriculture. Others in the company were Mrs. Laurence F. Arnold, and Mrs. David Satterfield, of the congressional contingent; Mrs. Henry F. Grady, Mrs. Daniel C. Roper, and Mrs. Clarence Lee Miller.

First Lady Plans Crowded Week

Mrs. Roosevelt announced yesterday at a press conference her usual staggering schedule for the next week.

Today she will attend the rummage sale for Army and Navy relief and the garden party at the Cathedral before flying to New York to receive an award from The Nation at dinner tonight. Tomorrow she herself will present an award at a Manhattan luncheon of the Barter Theater, of Abingdon, W. Va.

Friday will find her back in Washington in time to entertain ladies here for the Democratic Institute of Government at tea. On Saturday she will attend the Democratic fete at the Shoreham, give a tea for the Democratic National Women's Council and attend the dinner of the Institute of Government.

Mrs. Roosevelt will receive students at the Cathedral School at 10:30 a. m. next Monday at the White House and will entertain at dinner that night.

Florida Guests Entertained by Robert Bliss

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Woods Bliss entertained a few friends at tea yesterday afternoon at Dumbarton Oaks in honor of their houseguests Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Griscom who arrived on Monday from their home, Luna Plantation, near Tallahassee, Fla.

A flurry of parties are being given in honor of this popular couple. Mr. Griscom was in the diplomatic service for a number of years, having served as United States envoy to Rome, Turkey and Japan. Tonight the First Secretary of the British Embassy and Mrs. Henry Miller will entertain at a dinner in honor of the couple.

The Spanish Ambassador and Senora de Cardenas will have the Griscoms as houseguests, starting tomorrow, until Friday when they will leave for their place at Syosett, Long Island. Tomorrow Mr. and Mrs. Griscom will be guests of honor at a dinner party to be given by the Spanish envoy and his wife.

Press Women Procopes' Hosts

Luncheon parties accented the calendar yesterday. The Minister of Finland and Mme. Procopie were guests of honor at a party given by the Women's National Press Club. Mrs. Eldon P. King entertained at a similar party at Pierre's in honor of Mrs. Redfield Vose, of New York, and Miss Alice Burrage of Boston, who are here for a few days.

Mme. Ertegun was ranking guest at Mrs. King's luncheon and others there included Mrs. William O. Douglas, Senora de Castro, wife of the Minister of El Salvador; Mrs. Charles McNary, Mrs. James Slattery, Mrs. John L. Sullivan, Senora de Munilla, Mrs. W. S. Culbertson, Mrs. Wallace McClure, Mrs. Strickland Gillilan, Mrs. John E. McClure, Mrs. Arthur Wright, Mrs. Charles Williamson, Mrs. William Wheatley, Mrs. Homer Hendricks, Mrs. Barnet Novet, Mrs. Henry Alberts and Miss G. H. Rogers.

This party yesterday was one of a series which Mrs. King is giving this season. The later parties will be given at the Gibson Island Club.

Meanwhile the Cabinet room of the Willard Hotel was the scene of the luncheon in honor of the Finnish Minister and his British bride, Mme. Procopie. Pretty as a picture, with a pink and white English complexion, Mme. Procopie was smartly gowned in a black frock topped by a brief silver fox cape. Her tiny black toque was covered with a veil studded with tiny blue dots.

Although Mme. Procopie said a few words she gave her husband the lion's share of the limelight. The minister spoke on the reconstruction of Finland and members and guests observed a moment's silence in tribute to the Finnish women who gave their lives in the war.

An interesting guest also was Sir Wilfred Grenfell, of the Labrador Mission, who made a brief speech. Finnish guests were particularly interested in Princess Alexandra Kropotkin, well known Russian writer who was the guest of Miss Helene Kravatzke. Others present included Mrs. W. Wallace Chiswell, Mrs. Mary Mason and Mrs. Clyde Smith.

Australian Envoy, Wife to Be Guests

The Australian Minister and Mrs. Casey will be guests of honor at a luncheon to be given on Thursday, May 9, at the Willard by the Washington Branch of the English Speaking Union.

Robert Lincoln O'Brien will preside and the speaker will be Lieut. Col. Russell L. Maxwell, of the general staff corps.

CAPITAL WHIRL

By SALLY SWIFT

YOUNG-LOOKING MOTHERS of grown children one sees every day, but young looking fathers are a new experience. I arrived at Mrs. Shaw Parker's cocktail party for her father the other afternoon expecting to see a distinguished gentleman with possibly a white goatee. Louis Shaw looks distinguished, but in the trim and young manner; so much so that one young bachelor at the party remarked of him, "He looks far younger than I feel."

Mr. Shaw arrived from his home in Boston via Baltimore and the Maryland Hunt Cup and will spend a few days here with his daughter while she shows him Washington.

JOAN PARKER was extremely pretty in a simple beige crepe dress and was taking her guests over the charming formal garden where an old brick wall, Japanese maples and crimson tulips made a symphony of different shades of red.

MARTHA KROCK was bubbling with excitement over a telegram from Albert Dewey announcing his engagement to Felicia Fisk, of New York, which said: "I want you to be the first to know."

The day seemed to be one for enthusiasm, perhaps because of the lovely spring weather. Countess von Rechten Limpurg came in hatless and almost breathless, having just arrived back from a trip to Williamsburg, where she and Count von Rechten had spent several days. The hotels were full and they had found rooms with a family in one of the lovely little reconstructed houses. Fay said that the house was ready for garden week and that flowers were everywhere, even in the bathroom.

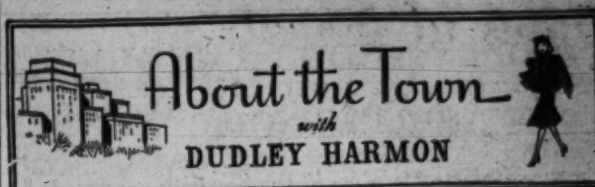
Mrs. Arthur Woods wore an amusing little hat which was nothing more than a twist of black horse-hair braid perched over one eye. It reminded me of a remark made about one of my hats by Martha Krock's father, Alfred Granger: "Tell me, confidentially, is that a hat or a headdress?"

OTHER GUESTS were Mrs. Elliot Wadsworth, gracious and charming and a devotee of the hatless vogue; Mrs. Truxtun Beale, Helen Davis in dark-blue and a white collar with a touch of white on her dark blue hat; Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Cotton, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Burling, Jr., Mrs. Hoyer Miller, hatless, and wearing a frock of printed silk; Mrs. Donald Hiss, Mrs. William Youngman, Lucius Wilmerding, whose wife is in Williamsburg; Keith Officer, Llewellyn Thomson, James West and several more.

I HEAR on good authority that the Australian Minister and Mrs. Casey are looking for a house to buy as a permanent Australian Legation. At present the Caseys are living in a rented house on Woodland drive. Mrs. Casey's final choice of a home is sure to be impeccable as she is artistic to the fingertips. She is particularly interested in painting in which she is accomplished, and has spent her first days in the Capital visiting its art galleries, letting its political and historical aspects come second.

THE FORMER Under-Secretary of the Treasury and Mrs. John Hanes motored down to Middleburg the other night to dine with Miss Charlotte Noland, headmistress of Foxcroft School. After dinner Mr. Hanes spoke to the students of the current events class and was received with acclaim, while his daughter June looked on proudly.

June Hanes is a recent graduate of Foxcroft School and is now an instructor in riding at her alma mater. She is looking forward keenly to the Foxcroft Horse Show on May 13, when the girls at the school put on their own show and serve luncheon on the grounds for charity. There will be 18 classes, including road hacks, hunter hacks, "woplets," bareback, touch-and-go, pairs and hunters' race.



Berles Plan Elaborate Reception to Greet Delegates to American Scientific Congress

ENTERTAINING IN WASHINGTON is assuming epic proportions this spring. Official hostesses are beginning to think nothing of tossing off an afternoon party for, say, a cozy group of 2,000. And if many more conventions meet here this month, local functions for the delegates will become, in size, anyway, Hollywoodian colossal.

THE PRAYERS of every hostess these nights end up with "Please let there be good weather when the thousands descend upon my house." But the Assistant Secretary of State and Mrs. A. A. Berle are one couple who don't have to worry about an afternoon reception they are planning for 2600 delegates to the eighth American Scientific Congress. The party will take place May 15 on the beautiful grounds of Woodley, the Berle home, if weather permits, but if not, operations will be immediately shifted to the Pan American Union.

If the skies are clear, the guests are going to be able to enjoy dancing on the Berle tennis court. The hostess will also provide entertainment, perhaps a program of American folk dances, which should be of great interest to the South American delegates.

PARTICULARLY PLEASED about the heavy influx are the local taxi drivers. One of them said yesterday that he had made more money off the women than the men, however, because the ladies are more interested in taking sightseeing trips.

"But they're more inclined to quibble about the price than men," he allowed. The driver, incidentally, has figured out a way to judge the importance of the various members of women's

organizations who meet here. "I can tell by the length of their corsage," he says.

EACH LATIN-AMERICAN republic is sending delegates to the Scientific Congress, the first to be held here since 1915. Dr. Jose Arce, of the Argentine, for example, is not only a leading scientist, but is active in politics, and for many years was a member of Congress.

The South Americans are fascinated at the prospect of seeing relics of George Washington. To them, he is the American hero, and they have all asked to be taken to Mount Vernon. In the main square of Caracas, a statue of Washington stands opposite Simon Bolivar, the South American liberator.

THE IMPOSING, white marble headquarters of the Pan American Union, with patio, fountain and wide staircases, is the most perfect setting imaginable for a party. But the only people who may entertain there are cabinet members, the governing board of the Union, and Latin-American envoys.

ODDS AND ENDS: A gay party for the younger set will be Mrs. Frederick Gould's tea dance on Tuesday, May 21, for Isabelle and Marjorie Meuser. Their cousin, Arthur Bradley Campbell, will entertain them at another party late this spring. Mrs. Gould has invited to her tea dance several friends from Newport, where Mr. Campbell will take a house this summer. . . . When quizzed at a recent luncheon, Ogden Hammond said he and Brenda Frazier were NOT going to get married. . . . John S. Lawrence, of Boston, is visiting the Capital en route from Florida. He expects to fly north tomorrow.

Carnival Planned By Mrs. Shouse For June 14

Mrs. Jouett Shouse's "Have Fun Carnival" was such a success last summer that she has organized another one, to take place June 14 at her country home, Wolf Trap Farm, in Virginia. The Hagerstown Almanac has been consulted carefully, and as good weather is promised, dancing, supper and the Mid-way will be outdoors as last year.

One of the features this year will be a pre-convention skit to be written by two talented Gridiron Club members, Walker S. Buel and Turner Caddage. Proceeds from the party will go to the Occupational Research of the Institute of Women's Professional Relations.

Ernest Lindleys Give a Party For Malcolm Muir

Leading lights of governmental and diplomatic circles were among the friends of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Lindley who gathered at their home yesterday to meet Malcolm Muir over tea or highballs. Mr. Muir, president and publisher of the magazine News Week, is visiting the Lindleys.

Among those who mingled at the party were Secretary of Labor Frances Perkins, Justice Frank Murphy, the Minister of Finland and Mme. Procopie, Senator Robert Wagner, the Hungarian envoy and Mme. Felenyi and Senator and Mrs. Joseph C. O'Mahoney.

Miss Thelma McKelvey presided at the tea table, which was centered with a bowl of spring flowers. Earlier in the day Mr. Lindley entertained at a men's luncheon for Mr. Muir.



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Notes of Society

Official and Residential

The Minister of Netherlands and Mme. Loudoun have issued invitations for a dinner party May 18.

Mme. Horinouchi, wife of the Japanese Ambassador, will entertain at a luncheon May 7.

Senator and Mrs. Millard Tydings have issued invitations to a luncheon on Sunday, May 26, at 1 o'clock, at Oakington, their residence, near Havre de Grace, Md.

Mrs. William O. Douglas, wife of Associate Justice Douglas, has issued invitations for a luncheon on May 10.

The Chancellor of American University and Mrs. Joseph M. M. Gray will entertain at a tea next Wednesday, in honor of Dr. and Mrs. Elgin Groseclose.

Mrs. Lawrence Gassenheimer entertained at a luncheon yesterday.

Mrs. Cecil Kaufmann and Mrs. Marvin Gingold have returned from New York.

Lynn W. Franklin, United States Consul in Sweden, is in New York.

Miss Mary Lackey, of Wash-

ington, is at Beaux Arts Hotel in New York.

Mrs. Wilhelmine Engmann, formerly of Lexington, Ky., and St. Louis, is residing at the Grafton Hotel.

Count Potocki Gives Tea For RedCross Women

The Polish Ambassador, Count Potocki, entertained at tea yesterday for women of Columbia Chapter of the Red Cross. Miss Mabel Boardman and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Swift, of the Red Cross, were among the guests.

Assisting the envoy were Mme. Kwapiszewska, Mme. Poratzevska and Mrs. Leon Cochrane.

Maine Dance Tomorrow

The dance of the Maine State Society—first social function since its organization—will be held tomorrow night at the Wardman Park Hotel instead of at the Mayflower, as was erroneously stated in an earlier announcement.

Ready for Democratic Fete



Mrs. William E. Durant in the costume she will wear Saturday, representing Oklahoma in the Parade of States which will be a feature of the annual spring fete of the Woman's National Democratic Club, at the Shoreham Hotel. The function this year will be the largest and most elaborate yet given and will be attended by women from all over the country, here for the Institute of Government, sponsored by the women's division of the Democratic National Committee.

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Chest Fair Committee Hears Reports

'Nothing to Sell, But Lot to Tell,' Will Be Keynote

Members of Mrs. Stanley F. Reed's reception committee for the Community Chest League's Fair of Chest agencies, to be held May 21, met yesterday afternoon in the Jefferson room of the Mayflower.

Present were many of the more than 50 women prominent in social, civic and welfare activities who will act as hostesses for the event. The fair will be held in the grounds of the Charles Carroll Glover estate, at 4200 Massachusetts avenue.

"Nothing to sell, but a lot to tell," will be the keynote of the fair's colorful exhibits, demonstrations and sideshows. The fair will open at 2 and continue until 6. More than 400 children will engage in various demonstrations to depict the kind of opportunity, guidance and protection provided through Chest agencies concerned with the welfare of the child in the community.

Mrs. Reed presided at yesterday's meetings. Reports were made by Mrs. Charles Carroll Glover, jr., chairman of the guide committee; Mrs. James Clement Dunn, chairman of refreshments, and Mrs. Montgomery Blair, jr., of the Motor Corps.

The reception committee included Mrs. Henry Morgenthau, jr., Mrs. Harlan Fiske Stone, Mrs. Warren Austin, Mrs. Joseph Davies, Mrs. J. L. Hougheling, Mrs. Henry Scott Land, Mrs. Edward J. Noble, Mrs. Paul V. McNutt, Mrs. Caesar A. Allen, Mrs. Frederick Allen, Mrs. David S. Barry,

Mrs. Samuel F. Beach, Mrs. Frederick M. Bradley, Mrs. Morris Caffritz, Mrs. Dwight F. Davis, Mrs. Frank Mason Dillard, Mrs. Walter G. Distler, Mrs. Ernest G. Draper, Mrs. James Clement

Dunn, Mrs. Peyton Hawes Dunn, Mrs. Waldron Faulkner, Mrs. David E. Finley, Mrs. William J. Flather, jr., Mrs. Robert V. Fleming, Mrs. Robert H. Fletcher, Mrs. J. Clifford Folger, Mrs. George A.

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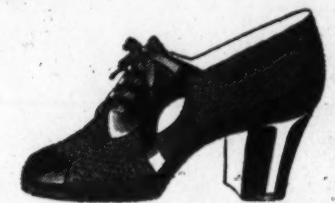
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Mrs. Landvoigt Speaks Today

8 & 40 Observance To Be Held at War Memorial in Park

Mrs. Edith P. Landvoigt, chapeau departmental, is busy this week with the affairs of D. C. Salon, 8 & 40. She will extend greetings this afternoon at the fifth annual commemorative observance at the District World War Memorial in West Potomac Park. Chapeau National Ellen Louise Warren will be a main speaker, following a broadcast over WOL.

Two past national chapeaux, Mrs. Thelma Bailey, of Michigan, and Mrs. Mary Haws, of Pennsylvania, and a secretary nationale, Mrs. Pauline Bairdon, of Indianapolis, arrived this morning to participate in the week's festivities.

Following the May Day program, 8 & 40 members will dine at the Washington Hotel with the national officers as honor guests, and later will be joined by officers of the 40 and 8. Mrs. Helen M. McCabe, national chairman of public relations, will have them as honor guests for dinner tomorrow evening.

At the Army and Navy Club on Saturday, at 1 o'clock, the salon will honor its members who this year are officers and chairmen in the American Legion and the Auxiliary Departments. These are Mrs. Mary B. McMillin, department president and ranking honor guest; Mrs. Alice Slattery, wife of the department commander; Miss Minnie May Hardy, national committeewoman; Mrs. Myrtle Spudis, departmental vice president; Mrs. Agnes Hazard, department property custodian; Miss Emily Carey, Legion department committeewoman; Mrs. Edith W. Quinn, Auxiliary department committeewoman; Mrs. Irene Arnold, distinguished guest chairman; Mrs. Helen McCabe, legislation; Miss Edna McIntosh, membership; Mrs. Margaret Carroll, rehabilitation; Mrs. Mildred Eckles, memorials; Mrs. Helen Mahoney, finance; Mrs. Viola Hines Fones, employment; Mrs. Mary K. Killeen, vice chairman, poppies. Fifty reservations have been made.

Margaret Kuhn Becomes Bride

In the presence of members of the two families, Miss Margaret Mary Kuhn and Thomas Joseph Gearty were married yesterday morning at 9:30 at the Shrine of the Blessed Sacrament, Chevy Chase Circle.

The Rev. Thomas Joseph Crowley, assistant pastor, officiated. Gerald Gearty was best man for his brother, and Mrs. John J. Kuhn, sister-in-law of the bride, was matron of honor. After a wedding breakfast at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph A. Kuhn, of Chevy Chase, the couple left for a honeymoon in Florida.

The bride is a graduate of Holy Cross Academy, Georgetown Visitation Convent, and Trinity College. Mr. Gearty, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Gearty, of Minneapolis, is a graduate of the University of Minnesota and the law school of Catholic University. He is a director of the Merrick Boys Club of Washington.

Pioneer Phalanx To Hold Rally

With the coming celebration of the first adhesive postal stamp by the Pioneer Philatelic Phalanx, a body which started in the nineteenth century, the Ladies Auxiliary will have its own rally and registration assembly in the Mayflower Hotel tomorrow afternoon from 2 to 5 o'clock.

This body of old-timer post stamp collectors now has an initiatory degree team, known as "The Knights' Ladies of the Roundable." The Phalanx is a chartered fraternal order of honorary life members, forming the nineteenth century Boys of the Old Brigade of Philatelists.

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May DayChild Health
In Spotlight;
Veterans, Students
Arrange Exercises

Veterans and patriotic organizations, students and peace advocates, children and child-health organizations, C. I. O. unionists and sympathizers will observe May Day today with special exercises and activities.

Led by the American Legion, Washington veterans will pay tribute to the District World War dead at 4 p. m., before the memorial in West Potomac Park. An all-day Catholic student peace program at Georgetown University will be climaxed by a mass meeting on the campus at 8 p. m. with 2,000 students from 15 schools participating.

In a May Day-child health message, Dr. Daniel L. Seckinger, assistant District health officer, yesterday urged creation of a \$40,000 mental hygiene clinic for children, as Community Chest and WPA units prepared to hold open house today to exhibit child health work.

Commissioner Young to Speak

At the World War Memorial in Potomac Park tributes will be expressed by Commissioner John Russell Young, William T. Slattery, department commander, American Legion; Mary B. McMillin, department president, American Legion Auxiliary; William H. Hargrave, grand chef de gare, 40 and 8; Edith Landvoigt, le chapeau departmental, 8 and 40. Presiding at the fifth annual commemorative services will be Public Printer A. E. Giegengack. Honor guests will include Frank B. Noyes, founder and chairman of the 1931 District Memorial Commission; Col. Julius Peyer and Dr. N. C. McNeil, past departmental commanders.

Mrs. Ellen Louise Warren, of 8 and 40, advisory member of the National Child Welfare Committee, and Richard O. O'Connell, national commander, Twenty-ninth Division Association, also will speak. A concert will be presented by the United States Marine Band, beginning at 4 p. m.

To Hear Senator O'Mahoney

Catholic student peace activities today will open with early morning peace masses in Dahlgren and St. William's Churches, to be followed by convocation in Gaston Hall, Georgetown University, at 11 a. m., when Senator Joseph C. O'Mahoney (Democrat), of Wyoming, will address the assembly.

With Georgetown R. O. T. C. and St. John's College cadets participating in the exercises, 2,000 students from 15 schools are expected to turn out in the 8 p. m. rally on the campus. Burke E. Schoensee will speak on "The Papal Peace Plan," and Dexter L. Hanley will discuss "A Just Peace."

Senator David I. Walsh (Democrat), of Massachusetts, will preside over a peace forum, to be broadcast at 10:30 p. m., over WJLS. The student program here will be part of a Nation-wide celebration.

A union rally in support of the Press Cafeteria strikes will be held tonight at 8 in the Lincoln Congregational Church, Eleventh and R streets northwest.

Speakers will include John Brophy, C. I. O. national director and former Judge William H. Hastie, Howard University law school dean, Waring Cuney, clinician, and the Vanguard Dramatic Club will entertain.

Child Health Programs

Child health programs will be held today at the Southwest House, 301 Second street southwest; Barney Neighborhood House, 470 N street southwest; Friendship House, 619 D street southeast; and Georgetown Children's House, 3224 N street northwest.

Exhibits of child health work sponsored by the WPA—medical and dental clinics, parks and playgrounds, and school lunch projects—will be opened today for inspection throughout the Nation, according to Mrs. Florence Kerr, assistant commissioner in charge of professional and service projects.

In his plea for establishment of a children's mental hygiene clinic here, Dr. Seckinger warned that the problem is acute and that facilities are inadequate.

He said Washington's infant mortality rate had dropped from 1936 when it was one of the highest in the country, to last year, when the rate was below the national average, but added that "to hold present gains," more physicians and more nurses were needed.

Dr. Seckinger called for immediate action in undertaking the program and recommended an initial outlay of \$10,000 to \$12,000.

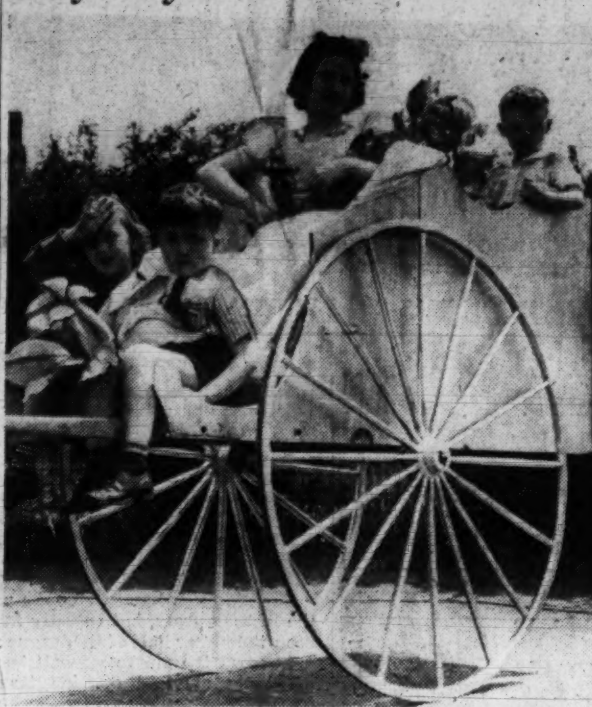
The District Socialist Party last night issued a May Day manifesto, marking the fifty-second anniversary of the international labor holiday. The manifesto declared that "There was no victory in the last war except for the munition workers and the war profiteers who stayed at home. There will be no victory for the workmen of this country unless they soon direct the course of this war for the liberation of the colonial peoples, for a United States of Europe and for world socialism."

\$200 in Rewards
Posted for Arrest
Of House Bomber

Rewards totaling \$200 had been posted last night for information leading to the arrest and conviction of persons responsible for the mysterious bombing at the home of Mrs. Edna Holland, colored, at 1324 Harvard street northwest, April 12.

Mrs. Ernest W. Brown, superintendent of police, agreed to pay half the reward and the other half was posted by the civil liberties department of the colored I. B. P. E.

May Day's Debut...



Post Staff Photos

1. MAY QUEEN—Today is May Day. More than 700 children will participate in a celebration of the occasion at the Wheatley School, where Queen of the May Geraldine McKay, 12, will ride with her pages, Mary Ellen Emmons, 5; Ray Dove, 6; Shirley McLloy, 5, and Buddy Carroll Martin, 5.



2. CHILD HEALTH WEEK opens today and Ronny Harris, 3, of 428 Seventh street southwest, will have his teeth shiny white when it is ushered in. Ronny knows that clean teeth are important to good health.



3. AN APPLE A DAY will keep the doctor away, relates June Claggett, 5, of 636 F street southwest. These pictures were made yesterday as Washington children awaited the entrance of the mild month of May.

Couple Who Settled Here
On Honeymoon Wed 50 Years

350 Friends Attend Golden Wedding
Reception for Dr. and Mrs. Cuthbertson
At Their Home in Everts Street

A couple who came here on their wedding trip in 1890 celebrated their "50-year honeymoon" at a golden wedding reception last night at their home, 2206 Everts street northeast.

To Dr. and Mrs. Charles W. Cuthbertson, both 72, the honeymoon is not over and 350 of their friends were on hand last night to wish them well on the second lap of their married life.

The Cuthbertsons came here from Charlotte, N. C., where they were married. They decided to settle in Washington and the doctor enrolled in the old Columbian College, now George Washington University. He graduated in dentistry in 1890, and has practiced that profession here ever since although he holds a degree in medicine as well.

The half-century of married life for the Cuthbertsons by no means has been confined to the District. Each year they take a long automobile trip to points such as Canada, Mexico, Yellowstone Park. Last year the Gulf of Mexico was one stop on a 13,000-mile two-month automobile trip. There Dr. Cuthbertson followed his lifetime hobby—fishing.

When at home in Washington the doctor makes the Association of Oldest Inhabitants, of which he has long been a member, Masonic and Eastern Star units the focal points in his lodge activities.

Dr. and Mrs. Cuthbertson have two children, Harry B. Cuthbertson, of New York, technical director of Paramount News, and Mrs. Marie C. Noid, practicing attorney here.

Bruce Hides
Views, Says
Sen. Tydings

Radcliffe Invades
Prince Georges,
District Claimed
By His Opponent

By Edward T. Folliard

The oratorical thunder in the Maryland primary campaign resounded near the District line last night as Senator George L. Radcliffe carried his fight for reelection to Upper Marlboro and Mount Rainier in Prince Georges County.

Senator Millard E. Tydings, who is backing his colleague, charged that Howard W. Bruce, Radcliffe's opponent for the Democratic nomination, was waging a campaign of concealment.

"I have never known a campaign," said Tydings, "in which a candidate has so successfully concealed his views as Howard Bruce has in this one."

At the outset, Tydings said, Attorney General William W. Easton, Preston Lane, and other Bruce supporters contended that Radcliffe had no record in the Senate. "Then," the senior Maryland Senator continued, "the Bruce people changed their song. They said that Radcliffe often had voted differently from me in the Senate. They said that our votes canceled each other; that the result was a legislative blackout."

Foresees More Crucial Years

"The point is this, I'm not running against George Radcliffe," Howard Bruce is running against him. What we want to know is how Bruce would vote if he were in the Senate. He should tell the people where he and Radcliffe differ, but up to the hour he hasn't."

Tydings said that he was afraid that the next six years would be far more crucial for America than the last 12, bad as they had been. He expressed the fear that the war abroad would leave Europe bankrupt and that this would have serious repercussions in the United States.

Record Indorsed in Effect

Therefore, he said, the Free State should send the best, the most experienced, the most capable to the United States Senate, and he thought that Radcliffe in this respect "stood out like a lighthouse."

Senator Radcliffe told the voters at Upper Marlboro and Mount Rainier that Bruce, by his failure to put flaws in his Senate record, had in effect indorsed that record.

"Bruce did not have a good sales talk," he said, "and he simply wants the job. He says let me do the things Radcliffe has been doing. I will do them a little differently. I will talk a little more, but I will vote the same way."

Radcliffe, a close personal friend of President Roosevelt, went against the Chief Executive in the celebrated Supreme Court battle. Last night, however, he told how he had collaborated with the President in getting many improvements for Maryland. He spoke of the new Maryland bridge across the Potomac, and quoted President Roosevelt as calling that "Radcliffe's baby."

Bruce Claims County
Going into Prince Georges County, Senator Radcliffe was invading territory confidently claimed by the Bruce forces. Representative Lansdale G. Sasser, Democrat, leader of Prince Georges, has indorsed Bruce.

About 100 persons turned out for the rally at Marlboro, which was held in the courthouse and was presided over by LeRoy Humphrey. A much larger crowd, approximately 500, gathered in Bluebird Hall, Mount Rainier, to hear Radcliffe and Tydings.

Colletts Ryan, president of the Patuxent Club, who presided, appealed to the voters to do "plenty of gumshoe work" between now and Monday, when the ballots are cast.

He accused the Bruce people of tearing down "Reelect Radcliffe" posters and otherwise trying to impede the Radcliffe campaign.

Capital News
In Brief

Boys on a Junket

Two Frederick, Md., youngsters were taken to Washington yesterday to see the cherry blossoms. But they became lost and a policeman found them. However, they took a grand tour of Capitol Hill and slept happily last night at the Receiving Home.

"How do you get to the cherry blossoms?" Donald Clem, 13, asked Private Luther Wise, of Third Precinct, at Dupont Circle. A few minutes later he and his friend, Frank J. Fowler, 15, were taken to the station house. There P. E. Howard, of the Receiving Home, picked them up.

Sympathizing with their complaint about making the trip for nothing, Howard showed the boys through the Capitol, the Library of Congress, the Supreme Court Building and the House and Senate Office buildings.

Their parents, notified by police, said they would call for the boys this morning.

Girl Hurt in Crash

Mary G. Kelly, 31, of 402 Elm street, Takoma Park, suffered a fractured right collarbone last night when her auto collided with one driven by Frank J. Delweller, 47, 6601 Eastern avenue northwest. The accident occurred at Eastern avenue and Walnut street. She was taken to Washington Sanitarium, Takoma Park.

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Instructive Visiting Nurse Society Praised
For Work in Capital on 40th Anniversary

Representative Bolton
And Mrs. Roosevelt
Among Speakers

The service of the Instructive Visiting Nurse Society at bedside in Washington through 40 years was celebrated last night in the ballroom of the Mayflower Hotel at a testimonial anniversary dinner which brought tributes from a cross-section of the community.

Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt and Representative Frances Bolton (Republican), of Ohio, joined in praising the society's pioneer work and in urging the need for such private agencies in caring for certain blazings that Government agencies cannot do.

An anniversary message from President Roosevelt, read by the toastmaster, Attorney General Robert H. Jackson, testified to the "increasingly splendid work that is being done by your organization."

Nearly 70 blue-uniformed nurses, among approximately 300 persons at the dinner, listened to appreciation of the work of themselves and their forerunners, in talks from representatives of medical, social service and civic groups and of the press.

First Lady Praises Mrs. Stone

Representative Bolton appealed for the indispensability of private agencies in the face of "an increased pressure toward government absorption."

"But as there is an impersonalness about government, there is a very real danger, for without the nucleus of close personal helpfulness that lives best in our private agencies the light of public health service may go out," she said.

Mrs. Roosevelt said the society had been a trail-blazer, in showing what needed to be done and in moving on to other fields when certain of the needs were being met by other agencies.

Mrs. Roosevelt paid tribute to Mrs. Harlan Fiske Stone, president of the society and wife of the Supreme Court Justice.

Mrs. Roosevelt said the society in its first year in 1900 had 1,851 patients on its rolls, with four nurses who made 7,864 visits, with an expenditure of \$2,189.89. Last year with a staff of 78 the society reached 26,882 patients on 137,350 visits, with an expenditure of \$170,139.21.

Newspapermen Heard

Mrs. Roosevelt read a tribute which had been placed in a frame for presentation to the society from Lawrence E. Williams, past president of the Board of Trade; Mrs. Harry S. Bernton, president of the Council of Social Agencies; Dr. John H. Leonard, president of the Medical Society of the District of Columbia; Vincent Saccardi, general chairman of the testimonial dinner. All spoke briefly.

Mrs. Stone responded with a brief discussion of the society's work. "Although a major portion of its work continues to be among the poor, anyone can call a visiting nurse," she said.

Charles Heslep, city editor of the Washington Daily News, said "Washington as a municipality doesn't measure up as well as it does in the role of National Capital. Some of our community services are not what they should be." But he pointed out the work of the society as an example of an outstanding contribution to the community.

Frank L. Dennis, city editor of The Washington Post, pointed out an "unusual technical problem" facing newspapers here, in the volume of national and international news which must be carried, along with local news.

Executive Director Speaks
"Every international event has a Washington angle," he said, "and national politics and statecraft have an unusual interest to Washington people."

"This affair tonight has reminded me that we have an obligation not to overlook the things that make Washington a better place in which to live," he said, adding that he was sure the papers will be on the alert for news about such service.

Rex Collier represented the Star on the program, and Francis C. Waldrop, the Times-Herald.

Miss Gertrude H. Bowling, executive director of the society, also spoke.

Among the guests were Supreme Court Justice Harlan Fiske Stone, Secretary of the Treasury Henry Morgenthau, Jr., Dr. Thomas Parran, Surgeon General; Justice Bolitha J. Laws, of the United States District Court; Mrs. G. Howland Chase, former president of the society; Mrs. Whitman Cross, its president from 1919 to 1933; Mrs. John J. O'Connor, member of the board of directors of the Council of Social Agencies; Fred A. Smith, president of the Real Estate Board; Francis G. Addison, Jr., banker and former president of the Board of Trade.

First Nurse Located

An anniversary story about the I. V. N. S. in The Post recently helped to locate the first visiting nurse appointed here. It was revealed in the dinner program. A letter was printed there from Miss Ruth E. Mason, the first nurse in 1900, who is now a "patient employee" in the Mount Alto State Sanatorium in the Mount Alto, Pa. She wrote of her pioneer Washington experience that she was employed to "cover the entire south-west of the city at a salary of \$25 a month and expenses."

"When weather permitted I did my visiting by bicycle, walking when the weather was such I could not use the bicycle," she added.

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Mrs. Harlan Fiske Stone, wife of the Supreme Court Justice and president of the Instructive Visiting Nurse Society, with Secretary of the Treasury Morgenthau, at last night's testimonial dinner in celebration of the visiting nurse society's 40 years of service.

New Dealers at 'Country Fair'
Lampoon Political Opponents

Left-Wing Skits Applauded by 400
At Benefit for League of Women Shoppers;
Justice Douglas Awards Prize

The New Deal—or at least many of its leading personalities—took a holiday last night for a left-wing country fair, staged to benefit the Washington League of Women Shoppers at the Washington Hotel roof.

More than 400 young brain trusters and their womenfolk turned out in full force to act in and applaud skits lampooning ideas inimical to the New Deal, to dance and stroll through a bazaar that had political overtones.

Leon Henderson, reputed author of a list of New Deal laws and ideas and now executive secretary of the Temporary National Economic Committee, acted the part of a legislative counsel for the District of Columbia in a scene ridiculing taxes, traffic rules, racial discrimination and other issues in the political life in this city. He unveiled "Zip the Whatzit," revealed as Betty Vinton, of the LaFollette Civil Liberties Committee, and won her heart by giving her a potion labeled "District suffrage."

Lion Tamer Act

Michael Strauss, public relations chief for the Interior Department, played a lion tamer, supposedly Leon Henderson, who had at his beck and call three lions representing glass, insurance and patents—three topics that Henderson has been parading before the TNEC hearings.

The lions were Robert Cooper, of the Federal Communications Commission; Carlton Skinner, Maritime Commission, and David Lloyd, of the LaFollette Committee.

In and out during the act fitted a figure representing Raymond Moley, former New Dealer, tossing copies of a 5-cent weekly magazine to all who would take it.

A Southern Congressman billed as "Martin Pies" came in for some verbal lashing at the hands of a young woman, Lucille Ezekiel, who appeared from behind a screen with a red banner on her dress front, shouting to "Pies." There is a "Popular Front." Cecil Owen, chairman of the Washington Industrial Union Council, played "Pies."

Douglas Presents Prize

Presiding at a cake-sale table, labeled "Have your cake and eat it too" was Mrs. Robert L. Stern.

Supreme Court Justice William O. Douglas presented to the winner of a raffle an oil painting from a group of canvases donated by Bernice Cross, Mitchell Jamieson, Nelson Rosenberg, Julia Eckel and Robert Lamke.

The skits were written by Bernard Schoenfeld, script writer for the Interior Department. Direction was by Mrs. Warren Scharfman.

W. D. Bowman, Jr.,
Wins Bible Story
Telling Contest

Warren D. Bowman, Jr., son of the pastor of the Washington City Church of the Brethren, of 2910 Twentieth street northeast, last night won the Bible story telling contest of the Y. M. C. A. and a week's vacation at Camp Letts.

Subject of his recitation at the Central Y. M. C. A. was "Abraham's Offering on Mount Moriah." Tied for second place were Donald Campbell, of Eastern Presbyterian Church, and John E. Preston, of First Congregational Church.

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Bill to Ban
Baby Brokers
Faces Delay

More Inclusive
Type of Licensing
Favored by Board,
Bondy Says

"In the face of strong sentiment for speedy action on a bill to abolish 'baby brokers' here, new delays appeared yesterday in the drafting of the legislation—delays which probably will keep it from Congressional consideration until next session."

Although the Board of Public Welfare approved "the purposes" of the bill submitted to it by the Council of Social Agencies, Robert E. Bondy, director of the board, said yesterday:

"We feel that it ought to be broader. We favor a more inclusive type of licensing—to extend to child-placing agencies, as well as child-placing agencies."

Bondy indicated the board may amend draft of the bill to include private boarding homes for children and other types of child-placing agencies. That problem was acknowledged to be serious by the group which drafted the bill.

Meet First Needs First

Mrs. Olive W. Swinney, child welfare secretary of the council and secretary of the drafting committee on the bill, said yesterday the child-caring angle was finally omitted because "we felt it expedient to meet first needs first."

"There was public demand to do something immediately about the evils involved in the commercialized placement of children for adoption," she said.

"The committee was well aware of the limitations of its bill, but we considered it a step toward obtaining immediate progress, until it is possible to obtain a full program."

Bondy said the board will confer with representatives of agencies and others before deciding whether to broaden the bill.

District Days Limited

"And that will take time," Bondy said, adding that if this session of Congress is as short as predicted, "there may be only a couple more District days."

After the board is satisfied with the bill it must go to the Commissioners to the corporation counsel, to the Bureau of the Budget, back to the Commissioners and finally before committees of Congress.

Another factor in the delay will be consideration of the administrative costs, Bondy said.

Society Honors
Gen. M. M. Patrick

Maj. Gen. Mason M. Patrick, former chairman of the District Public Utilities Commission, has been elected the second honorary life member of the Society of American Military Engineers. It was announced yesterday. The first was Gen. John J. Pershing.

Gen. Patrick was elected at the Monday meeting of the society's executive committee.

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Carleton Hurls No-Hitter; Dodgers Win 9th This Morning

33-Year-Old Ace Scores, 3-0; Mates Tie Record

Veteran Escapes Trouble Despite 3 Errors; Homer Decides Battle

Cincinnati, April 30.—James Otto (Tex) Carleton, a 33-year-old refugee from the minors, stalked into baseball's no-hit Hall of Fame today by pitching the undefeated Brooklyn Dodgers to a 3-0 victory over the Cincinnati Reds.

It was the ninth straight victory for the stampeding Dodgers, tying a modern major league record for consecutive wins at the start of the season—a string last attained by the New York Giants in 1918.

It also was the second no-hit game of the season, coming two weeks to the day after Bob Feller shaped his opening-day spectacle for the Cleveland Indians against the Chicago White Sox.

Carleton, a righthander who came up to the St. Louis Cardinals in 1932 and moved to the Chicago Cubs in 1933, playing in one World Series with each club, developed arm trouble a couple of years ago and was sold to Milwaukee in the American Association last year. He won 11 and lost 9 there, compared to highs of 17-11 for the Cards in 1933 and 16-8 for the Cubs in 1937.

During the winter he was purchased conditionally by the Dodgers. Unruffled by errors

This was what made his great exhibition the more astounding. He refused to get unsettled by three errors his teammates committed behind him in the early innings. In the last five frames set the National League champions down in order.

At the start, reeled off before 10,000 enthusiastic fans, was a tight mound duel between Carleton and the equally aged Jim Turner. But in the fifth Turner walked two men and Pete Coscarart hit a home run that accounted for all of the scoring of the game.

Brooklyn AB R O A Cincinnati AB R O A
Walker, cf. 4 0 4 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
Coffey, 2b. 4 2 1 3 0 0 0 0 0 0
Forman, 1b. 4 1 2 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
La Gatto, 3b. 4 2 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
Pamphill, 4b. 4 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
Cubbage, 2b. 4 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
Franklin, 3b. 4 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
Reese, 4b. 4 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
Carpenter, 2b. 4 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
Totals. 32 27 10 Moore, p. 0 0 0 0

Batted for Turner in sixth.
Brooklyn..... 0 0 0 3 0 0 0 0 0 0
Cincinnati..... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0

Runs—Walker, Coscarart, Frank, Brown.
Catcher—Lavagetto, Reese, Hans, batted in—Coscarart (3). Two-base hit—Vosmik.
Home run—Coscarart. Left on base—Brooklyn 5; Cincinnati 3. First base on balls—Off Carleton, 2; off Carleton, 4; by Turner, 2; by Moore, 1; by La Gatto, 1; by La Gatto, 1; by La Gatto, 1.
Innings. Louisa pitcher—Turner. Umpire—Stewart. Manager—Carpenter. Time of game—One hour 47 minutes.

Games Today
Detroit at Washington.
Newsom (1-1) vs. Hollingsworth (1-0).

St. Louis at New York.
Anker (1-1) vs. Pearson (1-1).
Chicago at Boston.
Eaves (0-1) vs. Grove (1-0).
Cleveland at Philadelphia.
Allen (1-1) vs. Potter (0-2).

National League
Standing of the Teams
W. L. Pct. G.B.
Brooklyn..... 9 0 1.000
Cincinnati..... 4 3 .567 3
New York..... 4 4 .500 4 1/2
Chicago..... 2 7 .286 10 1/2
Pittsburgh..... 4 6 .400 5 1/2
St. Louis..... 4 6 .400 5 1/2
Philadelphia..... 3 5 .375 5 1/2
Boston..... 1 7 .125 7 1/2

Yesterday's Results
Brooklyn, 3; Cincinnati, 0.
Chicago, 4; Boston, 7.
Philadelphia, 6; Pittsburgh, 2.
New York-St. Louis (rain).

Games Today
New York at St. Louis.
Vandenberg (1-0) vs. Davis (0-1).
Brooklyn at Cincinnati.
Casey (2-0) vs. Walker (2-0).
Boston at Chicago.
Strincevich (0-2) vs. French (2-1).
Philadelphia at Pittsburgh.
Pearson (0-1) vs. Brown (2-0).

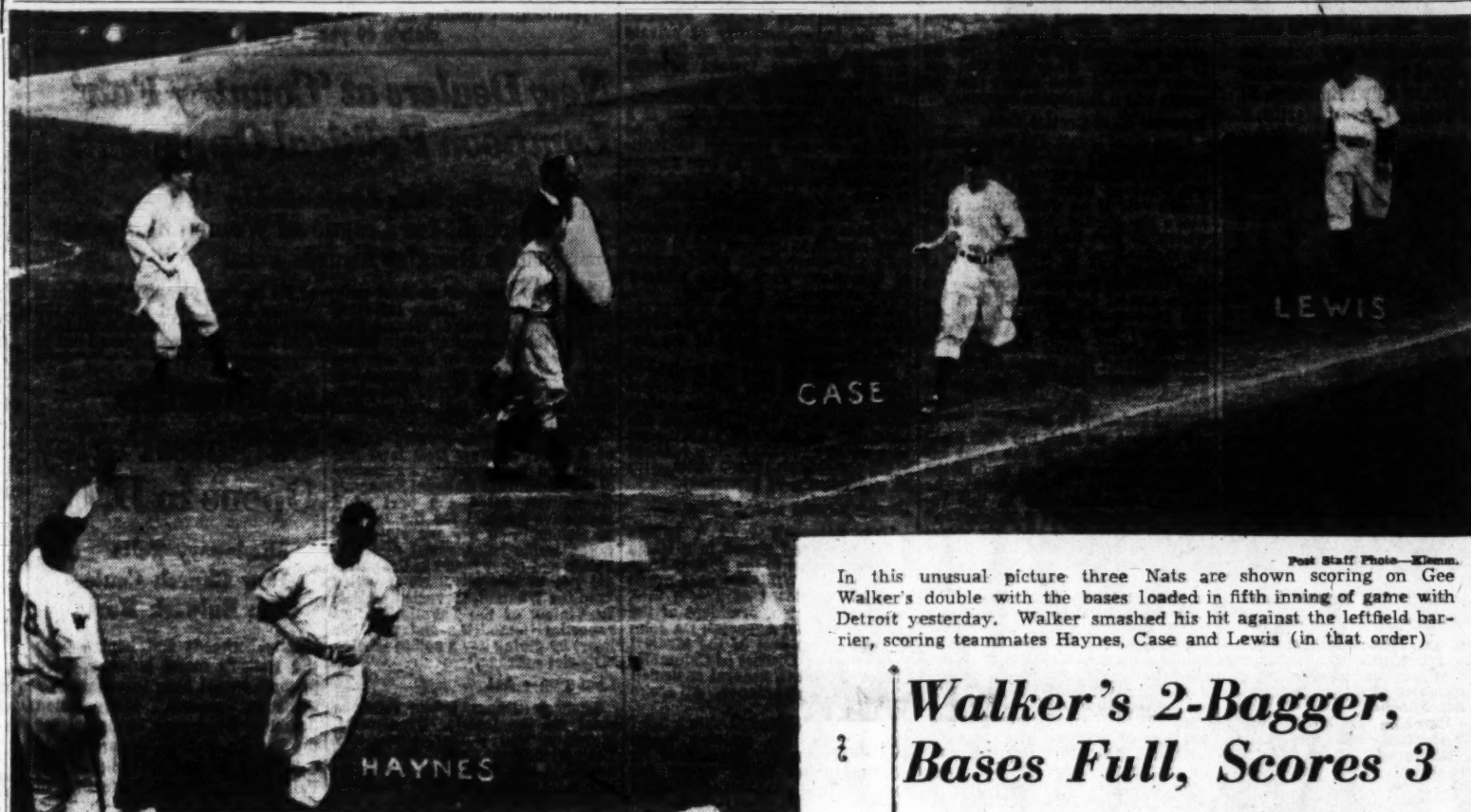
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Gee Walker Star as Nats Defeat Tigers, 9-4



In this unusual picture three Nats are shown scoring on Gee Walker's double with the bases loaded in fifth inning of game with Detroit yesterday. Walker smashed his hit against the leftfield barrier, scoring teammates Haynes, Case and Lewis (in that order)

Bimelech, 1 to 10, Wins Derby Test in Romp

Louisville, Ky., April 30.—Running as if out to lift the mortgage on his old Kentucky home, Col. Ed Bradley's Bimelech streaked to an easy victory over seven rivals in the \$2,500 Derby trial at Churchill Downs today.

The bay colt, who is reckoned by Kentuckians as the finest bit of horseflesh since Man of War, led the way to win by two lengths from Mrs. Ethel V. Marx' Gallahadion. In third place, badly beaten, was the Dixiana Farm's Sirocco.

Turns Mile in 1:38
Bimelech, now an even more prohibitive favorite to win the sixtieth running of the Derby on Saturday, turned the mile in 1:38 despite the fact that Jockey Freddie Smith had him under restraint most of the way. He handled his high impost of 118 pounds as though it were a feather.

He was 1 to 10 and returned \$2.20 to win, \$2.40 to place and \$2.20 to show. Gallahadion, making his first appearance, finished eighth.

See BIMELECH, Page 28, Column 1.

Carleton Gives Credit Where It's Due



Tex Carleton (left) appears very fond of Roy Cullenbine, Dodgers rightfielder, in this photo taken after Carleton's no-hit, no-run game against the Cincinnati Reds yesterday. The reason is probably the beautiful play turned in by Cullenbine for the next-to-last out of the game. It was the first perfect pitching performance in the National League this season.

Pimlico Fans Cash Bets on Nonwinner

Stewards Disqualify Miss Ponne After Wagers Are Paid

Pimlico, Md., April 30.—Hundreds of Pimlico bettors today cashed daily double tickets on a horse that was officially disqualified.

Holders of tickets on Handi in the first race, and Miss Ponne in the second race received \$15.30 for \$2 investments despite the fact that track officials nullified Miss Ponne's victory.

Bettors who had backed Miss Ponne to win the second race were also paid off at a \$4.50 win mutual. The story is this:

After Handi won the first race, Miss Ponne galloped to a six-length victory over Chalotaur. The track paid off all bets on Miss Ponne, including daily double wagers.

Later in the day, Trainer Joe Crivella, who saddled Chalotaur, protested to track officials that Miss Ponne had carried less than her allotted weight. The stewards investigated and upheld him.

First money in the purse was withheld from the owner of Miss Ponne and turned over to Chalotaur's owner, but backers of Chalotaur received nothing in the daily double or the win pools.

Pat Dougherty Dies; Was Major League Star

Bolivar, N. Y., April 30 (AP).—Patrick J. (Pat) Dougherty, 63, former major league outfielder, died here today.

Dougherty, who had been in ill health for the past two months, played in the American League from 1902 to 1911 with Boston, New York and Chicago.

Scores Baseball
Bellevue, 10; American U. 2.
Michigan State, 5; Michigan, 4.
Virginia, 2; Wake Forest, 1.
Duke, 3; Princeton, 1.
Birmingham, 3; Boston, 0.
Holy Cross, 2; Tufts, 1.
Marquette, 3; Blue Ridge, 2.
Fordham, 9; St. John's, 4.
Hofstra, 16; Brooklyn, 2.
Gettysburg, 3; Lehigh, 2.
Davidson, 6; N. C. State, 5.
Colorado, 10; Texas, 8.
Hampton-Brydner, 2; Roanoke, 8.

College Tennis
Marquette, 3; Lehigh, 2.
Klein, 7; Lehigh, 9.
Richmond, 3; Richmond-Marion, 4.
Miami, 5; Pittsburgh, 4.
Marquette, 4; Lehigh, 2.

PREP BASEBALL
Central, 13; Eastern, 3.
Barnard, 2; Barnard, 2.
W. and L. Fresh, 5; V. F. T. Fresh, 4.
William and Mary Fresh, 4; Richmond Fresh, 4.
Montgomery Blair, 9; Landon, 4.
Catharineburg, 14; Brattleboro, 1.
Maryland Fresh, 6; G. W. Fresh, 4.

COLLEGE GOLF
De Sales, 10; Michigan Tech, 5.
Virginia, 4; Hampton-Brydner, 14.

Walker's 2-Bagger, Bases Full, Scores 3

Bridges Loses 2-0 Lead in the Fifth; Pofahl's Brilliant Stop With Three On Saves Joe Haynes in Opening Inning

By Shirley Povich.
Post Staff Writer

Gerald Walker—that man again—broke up another ball game on behalf of the Nats yesterday, his third such contribution within a week. Solidifying his rating as the People's Choice of Griffith Stadium customers, Walker delivered the important hit of the Nats' 9-4 triumph over the Tigers.

Tommy Bridges was the victim of Walker yesterday. Bridges and the Tigers were doing very well until Walker showed up in the fifth inning. They had a 2-0 lead and were hot on the scent of a victory in the series opener. Whereupon Walker unloaded a two-bagger against the left field bleacher wall with the bases filled to establish the Nats in a lead they never lost.

Cleans Bases
He had a large afternoon. Walker did. A moment after he sent three Washington runs cascading over the plate, he stole third and scored on Zeke Bonura's fly. He delivered

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The Box Score

DETROIT AB R O A E
McClosky, cf. 5 1 2 3 0
Campbell, rf. 4 1 1 0 0
Gehring, 2b. 4 0 0 2 0
Greenberg, 1b. 4 0 0 4 0
York, 1b. 4 0 0 4 0
Higgins, 3b. 4 0 0 1 4
Travis, 3b. 4 0 0 1 0
Bartell, ss. 4 0 0 1 0
Tebbetts, 4. 2 0 1 1 0
Sullivan, p. 1 0 0 0 0
Bridges, p. 2 0 0 0 1
Nelson, p. 1 1 0 0 0
Trout, p. 0 0 0 0 0
Averill, p. 1 1 0 0 0

Totals..... 35 4 9 24 9 2
Batted for Tebbetts in ninth.
Batted for Bridges in seventh.
Batted for Trout in ninth.

WASHINGTON AB R O A E
Case, cf. 5 2 2 1 0
Walker, rf. 5 2 1 4 0
Lewis, rf. 5 3 3 2 0
Bonura, 1b. 4 1 0 4 0
Travis, 3b. 5 3 1 1 0
Bridges, 2b. 5 0 5 5 1
Pofahl, ss. 3 1 0 4 0
Ferrell, c. 4 0 7 0 0
Haynes, p. 4 1 2 0 0

Totals..... 38 9 12 21 11
Detroit..... 002 000 101-4
WASHINGTON..... 000 041 112-9

Runs batted in—McClosky, Walker 4; Gehring (3); Bonura, Bloodworth, Travis (2). Two-base hits—Travis (2), Walker. Three-base hit—Campbell. Home run—McClosky. Stolen bases—Walker, Case. Double play—Pofahl to Bloodworth to Bonura. Left on bases—Detroit, 5; Washington, 3. First base on balls—Off Bridges, 2; off Haynes, 5. Struck out—By Bridges, 1; by Haynes, 4; by Trout, 1. Hits—Off Bridges, 7 in 6 innings; off Trout, 6 in 2 innings. Losing pitcher—Bridges. Umpires—Geibel, McGowan and Kalia. Time of game—Two hours 20 minutes.

Princeton Rally Fails, Duke Nine Wins, 5-4

Princeton, N. J., April 30 (AP).—Duke University's powerful baseball team stopped here on its Eastern tour today to hand Princeton a 5-4 defeat.

With Shirley Povich

Don't tell a soul, but the balance of power in the American League has swung back toward the East. The Yankees, who for years feasted on the easy pickings in their own section of the league and thus fortified themselves heavily for whatever the stronger West had to offer, now find the situation considerably altered.

The Yankees have won four pennants in the last six years, but actually the West has been the better half of the league since 1933. It has had the most good ball teams, meaning the most first division teams. Aside from the pennants won by the Yankees, the East hasn't done so well. When the Red Sox finished second last year it was the first time in five seasons that the East produced a second place team. And Western clubs have finished third for six consecutive years. They've owned the fourth place club four times in the last six seasons.

The end of a cycle was apparently reached in 1939 when the Yanks and Red Sox finished one-two to terminate the West's domination in the first division. The Detroit Tigers, by winning pennants in 1934 and 1935, had led the West out of the doldrums previously. From 1934 to 1936 the East held sway, with the Nats winning two pennants in a row, the A's winning three in succession and the Yankees climbing back to the top in 1932. In '23 it was Washington again.

During that ten-year span from '24 to '34, the West won the job half of the league. In only two of the ten years did they get a team into the first division. Eastern teams finished one-two-three seven times during that decade.

Cleveland is the only Western club that now is deemed a certainty to finish in the first division. If the Indians end up better than third, moreover, it will be an upset. Despite the current standings, which show the Yankees in the second division, there isn't much doubt that the best club in the league is the Yanks and that the second best is the Red Sox.

The Western clubs that have lost caste are the Tigers and the White Sox, who own too many weaknesses to be classified in the strong group. The Tigers are operating with perhaps the worst infield in the league and pitching that is doubtful. Del Baker's club will go no farther than the hitting of Hank Greenberg. Rudy York, Charley Gehring and Barney McCoskey will take it.

Jimmy Dykes' White Sox, who managed to finish fourth last season, are currently mixed in last place with seven defeats in nine games, and that is understandable. Dykes is gambling on rookies at third base and in the pitching box, and Julius Sellers and Taff Wright are no shining lights as outfielders. The White Sox don't own the hitting to offset their defensive deficiencies.

Cleveland is now leading the league and setting a .727 pace because it has, perhaps, the best pitching staff in the circuit. The new second-base combination of Lon Boderson and Roy Mack has cured an age-old Indian weakness, and Hal Trosky and Ken Keltner are tried and proven run-producers. But the Indians' outfielders do not exactly strike terror when they go to bat. Ben Chapman, Roy Weatherly and Benn Bell aren't that kind. The Indians can be a good ball team but as the Sox's best they are a third-place club.

The two admittedly weakest teams in the league are the Browns and the Athletics, who have been, respectively, the doormats of each section for the past six years, the Browns even longer. In any comparison between that pair of clubs the West again suffers.

The Browns are a better ball club than they were last year. They have added a likely looking slugging outfielder in Walter Judnich, and their infield has a star at each corner—George McQuinn at first and Harland Clift at third. But the Browns' pitchers are still the dime-a-dozen type, and St. Louis is apparently fated to repeat its eighth place finish of last season.

One of the reasons for that last statement is the Athletics, the only team in the American League that the Browns had any hope of overhauling last year. The A's are a vastly more improved club than the Browns. Bennie McCoy has added muscle to the infield and power to the leading order, and Bob Johnson, Sam Chapman and Wally Moses comprise an outfield far superior to the Browns. In Frankie Hayes Connie Mack has a catcher who is not only superior to anything the Browns own but who perhaps should be rated the second or third best catcher in the league. The A's are a nice sort of ball club with the exception of their pitching.

The East, with the Yankees and Red Sox hanging around, are assured of two places in the first division, which is more than can be said for the West. Washington is a distinct possibility to beat out the White Sox and the Tigers for a first division berth. Defensively the Nats are superior to both clubs. There isn't much choice between the pitching of the three. The Tigers will outpitch Washington, but the White Sox won't.

Man of the Month

By Arch McDonald
Station WJWS Baseball Broadcaster

The Man of the Month contest is sponsored jointly by The Washington Post and Station WJWS. Following each of the Nats' games, Arch McDonald will award points to Washington players as he deems performance merit. The Man of the Month will be presented with a \$50 merchandise order by The Post.

Introducing the Nats' Man of the Month for April—Gerald Walker. The hard-hitting outfielder, acquired by the Nats from the White Sox, clinched his claim to the honors for April yesterday when he slugged the Nats to victory over the Tigers.

Proving an opportunist on the last day of the April contest, Walker nosed out Buddy Lewis for the Man of the Month award after getting away to a slow start earlier in the season.

Walker finished the month with 25 points, two more than Lewis, who held a six-point lead before yesterday's game. He will be presented by The Washington Post with a \$50 merchandise order on any Washington store of his choosing. The presentation will be made this week at Griffith Stadium.

Walker deserves the award. Almost single-handedly within the past week, he broke up three ball games for the Washington club with timely hits. Against the Athletics he doubled with two out in the ninth to send the tying and winning runs across the plate, against the Yankees he won the ball game with a hit in the tenth inning, and his feast yesterday was easily recalled.

Dutch Leonard and Cecil Travis finished in a tie for third place behind Walker and Lewis in the contest. Points were awarded following yesterday's game as follows: To Walker, eight points, because he doubled three runners home in the fifth inning to wipe out the Tigers' lead; because he singled twice thereafter, stole an important base, and scored two more runs.

To Joe Haynes, five points, because he held the Tigers in check after the Nats' gained the lead, and because his safe bunt started the Nats' inning rally in the fifth. He also singled in the sixth.

To Jimmy Pofahl, four points, because he pulled the finest fielding play of the season and robbed the Tigers of at least two runs when he made a back-hand stop of Rudy York's smash with the bases full and slipped it to Bloodworth for a force play.

To Cecil Travis, four points, because he made three hits, including a pair of two-baggers. The totals for April:

Gerry Walker..... 25 Al Hollingsworth..... 7
Buddy Lewis..... 23 Walter Masterson..... 6
Dutch Leonard..... 16 Jake Easly..... 5
Cecil Travis..... 15 Joe Haynes..... 5
George Case..... 15 Rick Ferrell..... 5
Jimmy Bloodworth..... 14 Johnny Wadd..... 2
Jimmy Pofahl..... 13 Jimmy Waddell..... 2
Ken Chase..... 8 Bucky Jacobs..... 2

Yankees, Held to 2 Hits by Bildilli, Browns' Rookie, Lose, 2-1

Red Ruffing Outpitched By Southpaw

Champs Go Hitless After First 2 Men Rap Out Safeties; Homer by Radcliff

New York, April 30.—The plague of portenders that has kept the World Champion Yankees in 4 successive home this spring broke out again today with a two-hit pitching job by young Emil Bildilli of the St. Louis Browns and gave the Westerners a 2-1 victory.

It was the first start of the season for the 23-year-old recruit from San Antonio in the Texas League, and he was a bit nervous, letting Frank Crosetti open the New York lead of the first inning with a triple and Red Rolfe follow with a single. That was a run—the Yank's only one—afterward Bildilli gave never a hit and let just three men reach, first, two on walks and one on an error.

Red Ruffing held the Browns to five safeties in rebuttal, but one of these was a homer by Rip Radcliff to tie the score in the fourth, and two others were Walt Judin's single and George McQuinn's double for the winning run in the sixth.

St. Louis ABHOA New York ABHOA
Runs—J. 4 R. 2
Hits—J. 10 R. 2
Errors—J. 1 R. 0
Pitcher—J. Bildilli R. Ruffing
Batter—J. Radcliff R. Judin
Fielder—J. McQuinn R. Crosetti
Time—1:45
Umpire—E. J. Connelley

Totals St. Louis 2, New York 1
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Bosox Bow To Chicago's 12 Hits, 9 to 4

Boston, April 30.—The Chicago White Sox started in where they left off last season by combining three Red Sox pitchers today for 12 hits and a 9-4 victory. The last time the clubs met the Sox swept a three-game series.

Every one of Jimmy Dykes' players hit safely, and all but two of them scored. Eric McNair, former Red Soxer, paced the visitors by connecting for a homer and a single. Right-handed Johnny Rigney held the home forces to six hits, half of which came in the sixth inning when Jimmy Fox bashed out his fourth home run after Doc Cramer and Ted Williams singled.

The Sox sewed up the game in the fourth by clouting starter Emerson Dickson for 5 runs. Three singles, two passes and Mike Tresh's two-bagger accounted for the rally. **Chicago ABHOA Boston ABHOA**
Runs—J. 9 R. 4
Hits—J. 12 R. 6
Errors—J. 1 R. 0
Pitcher—J. Dickson R. McNair
Batter—J. Fox R. Tresh
Fielder—J. Williams R. Cramer
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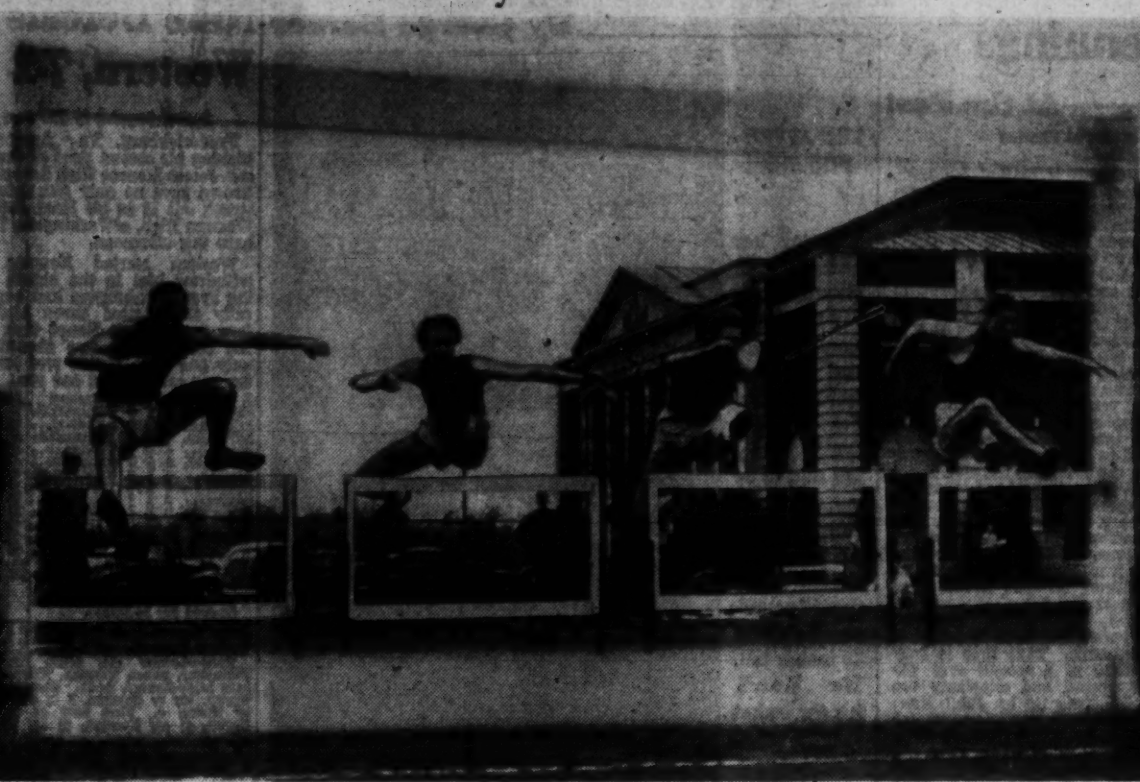
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Cameo's Crucial Run Comes In

The run that broke a 4-4 deadlock and started Cameo toward an opening 6-4 victory over O'Donnell's in the Washington Post Industrial League is shown here being scored by Bill Harris, outfielder.

A Pair of Winners as Maryland Frosh Trackmen Beat Tech



Cameo Rally Wins, 6-4, Over O'Donnell's

Cameo Furniture joined Heinrich at the top of The Washington Post Industrial League standings yesterday when it came from behind to tip O'Donnell's Grill, 6-4, on the West Ellipse.

Taking a three-run advantage in the first inning, Cameo saw the Grills come right back with four runs of their own in the second. A pair of runners failed in the third, and another in the fifth, put the six-inning battle on ice.

It was Shortstop Dugan's long out, with the bases-loaded, that tied things up for Cameo. And a few seconds later Outfielder Harris gave the winners a lead they never lost when he slid home on Plumb's bunt. A double play ended the rally there, but too late.

O'Donnell ABHOA Cameo ABHOA
Runs—J. 4 R. 6
Hits—J. 10 R. 10
Errors—J. 1 R. 0
Pitcher—J. O'Donnell R. Dugan
Batter—J. Harris R. Plumb
Fielder—J. Plumb R. Harris
Time—1:45
Umpire—E. J. Connelley

Totals Cameo 6, O'Donnell 4
O'Donnell ABHOA Cameo ABHOA
Runs—J. 4 R. 6
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Center Market, G. A. O. Nines Play 5-5 Tie
The second game of the Departmental Baseball League season—between Center Market and General Accounting Office—wound up in a 5-5 deadlock yesterday as hostilities were called off after the sixth inning because of darkness.

The Marketmen took a two-run edge in their half of the sixth with three runs, but saw it fade when G. A. O. turned hit a brace of runs in their turn at bat.

Center Market ABHOA G. A. O. ABHOA
Runs—J. 5 R. 5
Hits—J. 10 R. 10
Errors—J. 1 R. 0
Pitcher—J. O'Donnell R. Dugan
Batter—J. Harris R. Plumb
Fielder—J. Plumb R. Harris
Time—1:45
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The Takoma softball team is seeking a game for 10:30 a. m. Sunday on their own diamond. Call Manager Jack Ellis at Shepherd 4676-W.

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Terp Frosh Track, Net Teams Win

University of Maryland Freshmen teams won two events and tied one in sports competition with local rivals yesterday. The track team routed McKinley Tech High School, 194-424, and the tennis team swamped Central High, 6-1, as the baseball squad was held to a 4-4 tie by George Washington Frosh.

A two-run homer in the first half of the seventh inning enabled the Colonial Freshmen to tie up the ball game which was called by mutual agreement after the Terrapins had their turn at bat in the inning. Fitzgerald delivered the tying circuit smash and scored behind David, who had walked. Two were out at the time.

Lou Chacos, Joe Conrad and Leonberger led the victory of the Maryland cinder team, each winning two events. Chacos breezed home first in the 100 and 220 in the times of 10.2 and 22.1, respectively. Leonberger captured the 120 and 220 hurdles, posting times of 16.2 and 25.4, while Conrad annexed the shot put and discus events with distances of 45 feet 1/2 inch and 117 feet 5 inches.

Barnham was Tech's outstanding performer with victories in the high jump and broad jump. He leaped 21 feet 4 inches to take the broad jump and then sailed over the bar at 5 feet 10 inches to best his field in the high jump.

The Maryland Frosh tennis team took five of six singles matches and one of the only two doubles encounters played in defeating Central. Two of the doubles matches were not finished and did not count in the score.

G. W. Fr. ABHOA Md. Frosh ABHOA
Runs—J. 4 R. 4
Hits—J. 10 R. 10
Errors—J. 1 R. 0
Pitcher—J. O'Donnell R. Dugan
Batter—J. Harris R. Plumb
Fielder—J. Plumb R. Harris
Time—1:45
Umpire—E. J. Connelley

Substitute's Homer Wins For Cubs, 8-7
Chicago, April 30.—Big Al Todd, playing as a substitute after being benched for weak hitting, belted a tenth-inning home run today to give the Chicago Cubs an 8-7 victory over the Boston Bees in their series opener.

The Bees knocked Claude Passeau out of the box with a five-run splurge in the fourth inning for a 7-0-2 lead.

Hank Leiber's home run with Augie Galan aboard accounted for two runs in the fifth. The Cubs added another tally in the eighth on singles by Bill Nicholson, Phil Carretta and Manager Gabby Hartnett, who was playing his first game.

Chicago ABHOA Boston ABHOA
Runs—J. 8 R. 7
Hits—J. 10 R. 10
Errors—J. 1 R. 0
Pitcher—J. O'Donnell R. Dugan
Batter—J. Harris R. Plumb
Fielder—J. Plumb R. Harris
Time—1:45
Umpire—E. J. Connelley

Indians Get 13 Hits to Turn Back A's, 10-5
Philadelphia, April 30.—Cleveland collected 13 hits today, as the Athletics raked Willis Hudlin for 12, and the Indians turned back Philadelphia, 10 to 5.

Hal Trosky and Ken Keltner walloped homers for the Indians, and Johnson clouted a home run for the Athletics.

Cleveland picked up two runs in the first inning, made four in the third, one in the fourth and one apiece in the seventh, eighth and ninth. The A's big frame was the eighth when they made three runs.

Cleveland ABHOA Philadelphia ABHOA
Runs—J. 10 R. 5
Hits—J. 10 R. 13
Errors—J. 1 R. 0
Pitcher—J. O'Donnell R. Dugan
Batter—J. Harris R. Plumb
Fielder—J. Plumb R. Harris
Time—1:45
Umpire—E. J. Connelley

Cubs Option McCullough
Chicago, April 30 (P).—The Chicago Cubs optioned Catcher Clyde McCullough today to the Buffalo Club of the International League, reducing the roster to the mid-season limit of 25 players.

McCullough came from the Kansas City team of the American Association, where he batted .271 a year ago.

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Phils' Rookies Throw Pirates For 6-2 Loss

Villa Nova Graduate Leads Batting Attack; Klinger Knocked Out

Pittsburgh, April 30.—Philadelphia's rookies had a field day today at the expense of Pittsburgh's slumping Pirates, winning a 6-2 victory after chasing the Buc's ace hurler Bobby Klinger. It was the fourth straight setback for Pittsburgh.

First Baseman Art Mahan, Villa Nova graduate recently of Little Rock, playing his first major league game, doubled the first time up to drive in the first Philly run, then singled in the third with two outs to spark a three-run rally.

Philadelphia ABHOA Pittsburgh ABHOA
Runs—J. 6 R. 2
Hits—J. 10 R. 6
Errors—J. 1 R. 0
Pitcher—J. O'Donnell R. Dugan
Batter—J. Harris R. Plumb
Fielder—J. Plumb R. Harris
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Domkin Wins Pimlico Feature in Thrilling Photo Finish

Beats Out Ship Biscuit, Merry Knight

T. D. Buhl's Colt Pays \$18.90; 10,000 See Outsider Come Through in Stretch

By Walter Haight
A Star Correspondent

Pimlico, Md., April 30.—Claimed for \$1,500 by T. D. Buhl in his first race here last year, Domkin wrote his name on the record books as winner of the Rennett Handicap, a \$2,500 added sprint, here today. Domkin came to the wire in between Ship Biscuit and Merry Knight, the Wheatley Stable entry.

The finish was a thriller if there ever was one, and the fans debated about the order while the judges awaited the photo. However, from the press box it appeared that Domkin was the winner by a good head.

A. G. Vanderbilt's Now What and H. Dufford's Cockerel drew the bulk of the wagering. The famous filly finished ahead of only two horses in the field of eight and one of those was Cockerel. Now What, making her first start of 1940, showed speed but stopped as if she were shot in the stretch run.

Domkin, despite good previous efforts, was an outsider in the betting and rewarded his backers with an \$18.90 mutuel while stepping the 6 furlongs in a creditable 1:12 3-5.

The program on which favorites were prominent for the most part, drew a crowd of 10,000.

Hand Wins Handily
Jockey Mammie Berg, graduate from the half-mile, made a race on Domkin. The colt broke alertly from the No. 1 position, but Berg elected to take off the sizzling pace in which Now What, Merry Knight and Ramones participated.

It was not until the stretch was reached that Berg sent Domkin to the leaders. He outstripped the colt through between horses, and the 3-year-old fought his way into a neck lead inside the sixteenth pole. On the outside came Ship Biscuit with a rush. On the inside was Merry Knight, still trying. Then came the photo.

The program opened with a dash of 4 1/2 furlongs for maiden 2-year-olds, and Hand won easily, ridden by Blahlah and Careful Dandy, lived up to expectations by galloping home three lengths ahead of the closest opponent, under good handling by Jockey Hilton. Dabson Lady Jaffa was second and Alpine Lad was third. The winner paid \$5.70 as the favorite.

Pimlico
Entries With Marvel Ratings

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Pimlico Racing Chart

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Bennings

At the Post

DEAR AL:
Confucius is getting fat mail. At least, he received a nice postcard yesterday from W. L. McD. In part he wrote: "I've been playing your horses across the board. Keep up the good work. But please put the race on the wall. I don't want to keep up the good work as well as the horse in the future. Just to keep the record straight, the first half-mile in Monday's feature race was run in 0:46, the same as the world record time by Double Call at Tropical Park last winter. However, that time was hung up by Speed to Spare and not by Battle Jack, the winner of the race. Fractional times in parts of races are taken for the record books, however, so Speed to Spare's gallant effort will not be recorded. However, we can't take anything away from Battle Jack because he came from off that terrific pace and won the 6-furlong event in 1:11 1-5. The electric timer was used so we will have to accept it as authentic. That time is only two-fifths of a second over the track record and supplies the method that still prevails at other Maryland tracks. The annual Pimlico Ladies' Race will be held in the morning of Wednesday, May 3. Dixie Handicap Day Arrangements are being made by Miss Sarah Bosley, of Monks, Md. Miss Bosley, winner of the last Ladies' race held at the Maryland Jockey Club course, stated that the field of approximately eight starters was in prospect and that final details would be made known in a few days. The Kentucky Derby will be brought to the race fans at Pimlico on this Saturday. As in previous years the Blue Grass classic will be rebroadcast over the Pimlico public address system. Several requests have been received by the Maryland Jockey Club to renew this practice in view of the strong local interest in William L. Brown's Pictorial, Maryland's chief hope to garner honors in the Derby. The annual dinner meeting of the Maryland Horse Breeders Association will be held in the Old Club House at Pimlico in the evening of Wednesday, May 8, Dixie Day.

Confucius was a horse as well as a man; he is now 24. For today he says: Night Time for a deuce of a Bill.

First race—Saxton Prince took a beating in the opening race, but he was not competing with juveniles of his class at Havre and came on to finish gain. She should win here with an even break. Garden Girl raced greenly, but she should win here with a steady pace. Ramones broke poorly last start; he may do better here.

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Fifth race—Gen. L. slow to break, finished fast to gain the lead. He meets mediocre competition here and should register. Red Jack has been sprinting, but rates a good chance. Flag Day appears best of the others.

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Know Your Dogs—No. 49 of a Series

By George Berner

THE AFFEN-PINSCHER

This toy has been bred in Germany for many hundreds of years and is commonly called the "Monkey Dog." They are said to be very game, active and intelligent, should weigh about 7 pounds and be about 10 inches tall. We don't know what for

Churchill Downs Entries

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James Monroe American U.

Nine Defeats Loses Again—6th Straight

Western, 7-2

Fredericksburg, Va., April 30.—Making his second start of the season, James Monroe High School's Ed Brown gave up only four hits and struck out 12 as his team defeated Western High of Washington, 7 to 2, here this afternoon.

Western started Nonmon but withdrew him in the eighth after the Fredericksburgers had begun a rally that netted three hits and four runs before Nance took over the mound with two aboard and only one out. Nance was touched for two safes and one run.

James Monroe's lineup was: Ed Brown, pitcher; John Smith, catcher; Bill Jones, first base; Tom Brown, second base; Dick Miller, third base; Hank Wilson, shortstop; Sam Davis, left field; Ray White, center field; and Bob Black, right field.

Fredericksburg's lineup was: Al Green, pitcher; Bob White, catcher; Dick Miller, first base; Tom Brown, second base; Hank Wilson, third base; Sam Davis, shortstop; Ray White, left field; Bob Black, center field; and John Smith, right field.

Fredericksburg won the game 7 to 2. The winning pitcher was Al Green. The losing pitcher was Ed Brown. The game was played at the Western High School grounds.

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The third consecutive advance in the wholesale commodity price index compiled by the National Fertilizer Association took place last week, with the index rising to 77.8 from 77.7 in the preceding week. The index was 76.3 a month ago and 72.4 a year ago, based on the 1926-1928 average as 100.

The Shares referred to above are not to be

ROBIN—Firm; offerings 622; sales 592; receipts 898; shipments 220; stock 166.52.
Quote: B 3.85, D 4.00@4.10, E 4.40, F 4.60, G 4.60@4.65, H 4.70, I 4.75, K 4.90, M 5.15@5.25, N 5.45, WG 5.70, WW, X, 6.10.

New York, April 30.—(P)—Public offering was made today of \$3,000,000 of 3¼ percent debentures of McCrory Stores Corp. By a syndicate headed by Merrill Lynch, B. A. Pierce & Cassatt at 102½. Proceeds will be used to retire \$2,922,500 of the company's 5 per cent sinking fund debentures at 104 per cent of face value.

wide contest promoting F and G Soap in which 360 Servel Electrolux refrigerators and \$21,000 cash will be awarded over the full period of the campaign, May 20 to June 30.

Commodities
Wheat and corn lower; cotton narrow; sugar lower.

Foreign Exchange
Sterling slides around 2 cent; franc keeps pace; all money depressed.

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National Steel Earnings Drop From '39 Level

Weir Describes Final Quarter of Last Year As 'Super' Period

By the Associated Press
Pittsburgh, April 30.—The National Steel Corporation, fourth largest independent producer, today reported net earnings for the first quarter of 1940 of \$4,009,193, equal to \$1.62 a share. This compared with \$5,292,330.85, equal to \$2.40 a share, in the final quarter of 1939, a period described by Ernest T. Weir, board chairman, in his report as a "super-quarter from an operating standpoint."

Inland Steel
Inland Steel Co. and subsidiaries reported first quarter consolidated net profit of \$3,059,844 after all charges, or the equivalent of \$1.88 a share. This compares with \$2,024,401, or \$1.28 a share in the first quarter of 1939.

Union Oil
Union Oil Co. of California reported net profit for the March quarter of \$766,148, equal to 16 cents a share, compared with \$1,054,635, or 23 cents a share, last year.

Phillips Petroleum
Phillips Petroleum Co. and subsidiaries reported net profit for the first quarter of 1940 of \$3,286,821, equal to 74 cents a share, compared with \$1,485,333, or 33 cents, in the first quarter last year.

Consolidated Gas
Consolidated Gas, Electric Light & Power Co., of Baltimore, reported net income for the first three months ended March 31 of \$1,892,983, equal to \$1.41 a common share after preferred dividend requirements. This compared with \$1,785,536, or \$1.29 on common, in 1939.

Kroger Grocery
Kroger Grocery & Baking Co. reported sales for the four-week period ended April 20, \$19,821,751, against \$18,795,664 in the comparable period last year.

Curtis-Wright
Guy Vaughan, president of Curtis-Wright Corporation, announced the first three months of 1940 resulted in the largest net profit of any quarter in the aircraft company's history—\$2,414,196—equal, after charges, to 25 cents a common share. This compares with net profit in the March quarter, 1939, of \$1,696,137, or 15 cents a common share.

Studebaker Corporation
Studebaker Corporation and subsidiaries reported March quarter net profit of \$511,503, equal to 23 cents a share, compared with \$36,914, or 2 cents a share, in the corresponding 1939 quarter.

Yellow Truck
Yellow Truck & Coach Manufacturing Co. showed March quarter net profit of \$1,023,751, equal to 26 cents a share on combined class "B" and common stock, against \$388,779, or 4 cents a share on the combined stock, in 1939.

Calumet and Hecla
Calumet and Hecla Consolidated Copper Co. earned net profit of \$141,334, or 7 cents a share, in the March quarter, compared with \$30,010, or 1 cent, in the like 1939 period.

Cities Service
Cities Service Co. and subsidiaries reported net income for the March quarter of \$6,265,613, compared with revised net income of \$2,953,441 in the first quarter last year.

Commonwealth Edison
Commonwealth Edison Co. and subsidiaries reported consolidated net income of \$9,146,256 for the first three months of 1940, equal to 75 cents a share. This compared with \$6,767,439, or 74 cents a share a year ago.

Denver & Rio Grande
The Denver & Rio Grande Western Railroad Co. reported a net deficit of \$3,957,329 for 1939 compared with a net deficit of \$5,660,106 in 1938.

Portland General Electric
Portland General Electric Co. reports \$1,495,114 net profit for the year ended March 31, or \$6.31 a share on common stock, up from the \$1,199,210 in 1939.

Continental Oil
Continental Oil Co. and subsidiaries reported net income for the March quarter of \$1,380,434, equal to 29 cents a share, compared with \$721,424, or 15 cents a share, in the corresponding 1939 quarter.

May Car Output To Equal April's
Detroit, April 30.—April production of cars and trucks, United States and Canada, approximated an earlier estimate of 465,000 units, according to Rupert LeGrand, Detroit editor of American Machinist. Informed trade sources believe that the current level of operations will be maintained within close limits during May and that no real tapering off of assemblies is likely to occur before June.

No new production record was established in April, but the month did outstrip the similar 30 days in 1939 by 110,000 units, or 31 per cent. Furthermore, April served to swell the total for the first four months to 1,776,000 cars and trucks, or 25 per cent more than were built a year ago.

Commodity Prices Advance Third Week
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Banker



WILLARD G. BARKER

Barker Tells Of Morris Plan Home Loans

Willard G. Barker, president of the Morris Plan Bank, yesterday noted that the low cost home improvement financing plan recently offered by that bank in cooperation with the Federal Housing Administration, has created a favorable response among home owners and renters in Washington, Maryland and Virginia.

Barker explained: "That any property owner or any person renting a house whose lease expires six months or more after the maturity of the note may use this plan for those much needed repairs or improvements, with very little monthly outlay. No down payment is necessary. Any amount, from \$50 to \$2,500, may be obtained and the loan is repaid in from 6 to 36 months."

"All the applicant has to do is decide what repairs are wanted, get request the amount necessary to pay cash for the entire job. The money is usually turned over to the borrower the same day, or not later than the following day."

Local Securities
Sales—Regular Call
Capital Transit 1st 4 1/2 1000 at 10 1/4
After Call
Riggs Bank Com. 1st 4 1/2 278
Capital Transit 1st 4 1/2 14 1/4
Landon Mortgage 100 at 30
Public Utility Bonds
Anaconda & Pol 1940 100 104
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Cap Traction 1st 4 1/2 104
City & Suburban 1940 100 108
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George Washington University Hospital	High, 1938...	136.1	34.3	70.7	109.5
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Daily Cross Word Puzzle

ACROSS

1 Cord used for fastenings

2 Solid body tapering to a point from a circular base

3 Australian marsupial animal

4 Oriental body

5 Unwritten narrative poetry

6 Leases

7 Related

8 Ancient Persian victory

9 Truth

10 Every one

11 A foot lever

12 Norwegian territorial division

13 Rouse

14 Construct

15 Protecting part of 57 Cone of line

16 Dilapidated

17 This was aint

18 Kind of antelope

19 Pastoral poem

20 Postponed

21 Overgrown with coarse grass

22 Part of the eye

23 Siberian river

24 Pouchlike animal

25 A guess

26 Near East inn

27 Lubricate

28 Southern copulation

29 Extinct

30 Rooster-shaped flower

31 Western away

32 Wealthy for gold in British India

33 Mount

34 Wish sayings

35 Flashed

36 Knocked

37 Begin a voyage

38 Tishrope performer

39 Counterfeit

40 A prince

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LEAP YEAR LADY by ALMA SIOUX SCARBERRY

Poor little Smoky. Her husband was lying unconscious in the hospital, having been seriously injured in an accident, when a private detective came to the house. He told her that he was looking for Tex, her husband, because he is actually William Thayer Stacy, Jr., son of wealthy Governor, and was engaged to socialite Alicia Lowery. But Tex was her husband and so Smoky took her father's insurance policy to pay for the hospital expenses. Clancy O'Toole had lost his life only recently trying to save Dagne Hetrick from her burning home, but Dagne had died, too. Dagne was the girl who had taken Karl Hetrick, Smoky O'Toole's fiancé, away from her. Alone and grief-stricken, Smoky was trying to carry on in the musical show she had joined when Karl killed her and where she had met Tex. She felt that Clancy would have advised her to do that and to use his insurance for Tex. But now the doctor said he believed Tex had amnesia.

Chapter 22

"DO-YOU MEAN he doesn't remember anything?" Smoky asked, aghast.

"He doesn't seem to," Dr. Stiller said. "That is very often the case in a head injury. Perhaps when he sees you he will remember. I want to take you in. You must be very calm, and not upset him. Do you think you can be?"

"I think so," Smoky said. "Oh, I hope it really isn't amnesia. It is, how long will it last?"

"There's no way we can tell. Sometimes the memory comes back instantly. Sometimes never. But we'll do everything in our power. I don't believe we'll tell him you're his wife. We'll just say you're a friend."

Smoky followed the doctor to Tex's room, with her heart hammering painfully.

Miss Claire bent over him and said, gently: "Mr. Stacy, here's some one to see you."

Smoky saw Tex lying on his side and Smoky sat down on the chair beside him when the doctor pointed to it.

Dr. Stiller said: "You're a visitor, Mr. Stacy. Do you know who it is?"

Tex stared at Smoky out of dreamy eyes a few seconds and then he answered in a weak voice: "I'm afraid I don't remember you. I—don't seem to remember anything. I—I'm sorry."

Smoky forced a smile. "I'm Smoky. Don't you remember Smoky?"

Tex shook his head. "I don't even seem to remember my name."

"Your name," Smoky told him gently, "is William Thayer Stacy, Jr."

Tex closed his eyes wearily. "No, no. I don't remember anything. I'm—sorry."

The doctor motioned for Smoky to leave the room. He followed her, closing the door. "It is amnesia, Mrs. Stacy. But try not to worry any more than you can help. There's a serum we'll use, and, by proper questioning, rest and care, I believe he'll be all right."

Smoky was trying to make up her mind how much she should tell Dr. Stiller. After all, she decided, if Tex was to be helped the doctor should know at least a part of the truth. She said: "Doctor, there are some things I think you should know about my husband."

Smoky Tells Her Story

The doctor opened the door of his office. "Come in and we'll talk. Sit down, Mrs. Stacy."

Smoky sat on the edge of her chair, twisting her hands. "You— you'll think it very strange."

The doctor smiled. "My dear, nothing is strange to a physician. We hear the most amazing confessions and we hold them absolutely sacred. If there is something I should know about this case, it would be wrong of you to withhold it."

Then, haltingly, Smoky told Dr. Stiller how she had met William Thayer Stacy as Tex Stacy, Texas cowboy, and how they had married very suddenly, neither knowing much about the other.

She told him of the detective who had come to the house the evening before and revealed the true identity of Tex. That his father was a Governor and one of the wealthiest men in New England.

The doctor listened, fascinated at Smoky's halting recital of all that had happened in a few days. He said with a kindly smile when she stopped: "You've crammed a lifetime into a few days, haven't you, my dear?"

Smoky sighed. "I was afraid—I didn't tell you Tex's father might come here and upset him and make him worse. The detective says Mr. Stacy will be raving mad when he finds out Tex has married a chorus girl."

Dr. Stiller said thoughtfully: "We'll protect your husband against any such thing happening. But if you hadn't told me, we wouldn't have been prepared to deal with the situation."

Doctor Promises Help

He got up and crossed to Smoky, holding out his hand: "I'll fight on your side," he smiled, and his blue

eyes twinkled. "I always was a little partial to red-headed chorus girls. You've a lot of courage."

The doctor was tall and silver-haired, and Smoky felt greatly relieved that his attitude toward her was to be friendly. "Thank you," she said, tears gathering in her eyes.

The doctor said firmly: "My orders are that you go home and rest. I'll leave strict orders here that no one is to be permitted to see your husband without coming to my office and consulting me first."

"Oh, thank you, Smoky said gratefully. "Now I think I'll be able to take a little nap at home."

Dr. Stiller hesitated as they walked down the hall. Then he said thoughtfully: "There's a possibility, Mrs. Stacy, that your husband was suffering from amnesia when he left the Harvard campus in his cowboy rehearsal clothes."

Smoky gasped: "Do you mean—he may have married me not knowing who he was?"

"Possibly," said the doctor. "I'm just preparing you for the worst. He might have remembered only the name Stacy."

That afternoon Gov. Stacy and Alicia Lowery arrived at La Guardia Field in Queens in a specially chartered plane.

When the Governor and Alicia Lowery arrived at St. Agnes Hospital, they were told it would be necessary to consult the house physician, Dr. Stiller, before Mr. Stacy could be seen.

When the knock came on the door, the doctor was sitting at his desk, thinking of Shamrock Stacy and of the drama that was taking place in the young girl's life. He said, absently: "Come in."

And when he saw the white-haired, distinguished Stacy, senior, he knew instantly he was Tex's father. The doctor got up from his desk.

"I'm the father of William Stacy," the man introduced himself gruffly, "and this is Miss Lowery, my son's fiancée. We want to see him immediately."

Dr. Stiller bowed. "Won't you sit down, please?"

"There's no time to waste," said the Governor shortly. "I want to be taken to my son, at once."

Smoky Doesn't Work

The doctor met the millionaire's cold stare with an expressionless face. "I'm sorry, Governor Stacy," he said, mildly. "I can't permit the young lady to go to the patient's room. And I can let you go only on your assurance that you will say nothing to upset him."

Alicia said, haughtily: "Don't be absurd! Of course I'll be him."

Stacy patted her arm. "Of course, you will, 'Licia. I demand that we be taken to my son's room at once."

The doctor shook his head firmly: "This is a hospital. I issue the orders here. Mr. Stacy is a very sick man. He is suffering from nervous shock and amnesia. I cannot permit him to be disturbed."

The Governor's face colored lividly. "I'll have your job for this impudence!"

"Very well," the doctor said calmly. "Suppose you try it. I believe the Board of Governors of the hospital will stand by me in my desire to protect a patient. Good day."

He sat down to his desk and picked up some papers.

The Governor gritted his teeth. "May I see my son?" he asked, more respectfully, knowing he was defeated for the time being.

The doctor got up. "After I have talked with you a few moments in private, Governor Stacy, I'll have to ask Miss Lowery to wait in the waiting room down the hall."

Alicia's green eyes flashed angrily and she flounced out and banged the door.

"Will you please sit down, sir," the doctor motioned to a chair. "I think we'll both be more comfortable."

Governor Doubts Marriage

The Governor sat. He was a big man, a hardened old edition of Tex, with a lean jaw and cool, keen, gray eyes. "Well," he asked gruffly, "what is it?"

The doctor sat back, thoughtfully. "You know, of course," he said then, "that your son has been married recently."

"I know," the Governor said, savagely, "he got mixed up with a chorus girl. I doubt if it's a marriage."

The doctor said, smoothly: "Oh, he's married, all right. And to a very charming and sensible young lady. Your bringing his former fiancée into the hospital complicates matters somewhat. Mrs. Stacy might not be very well pleased."

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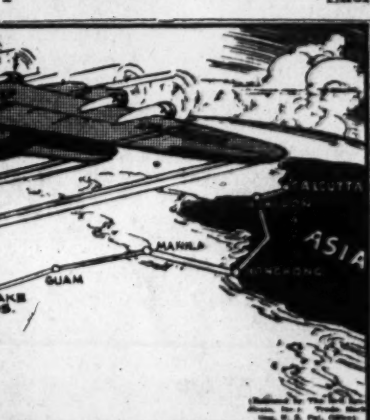
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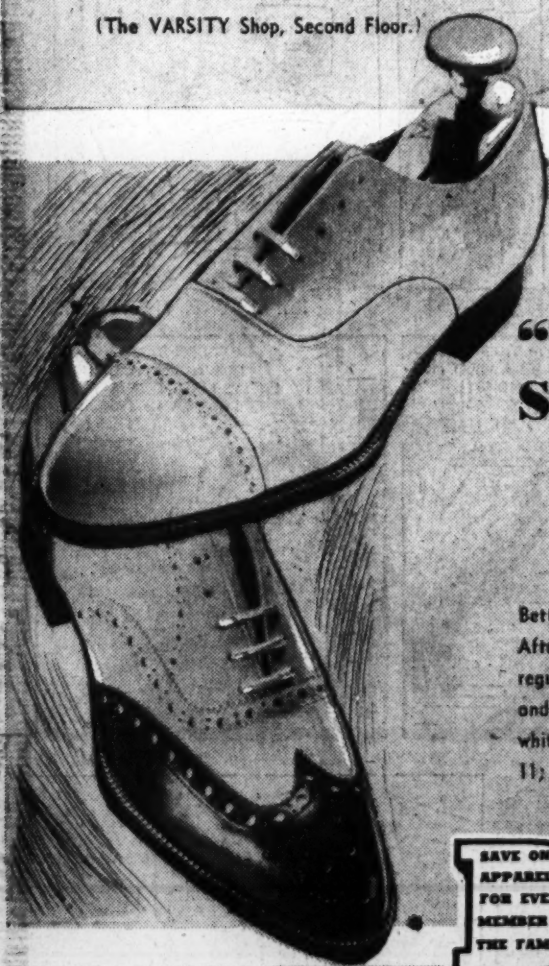
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